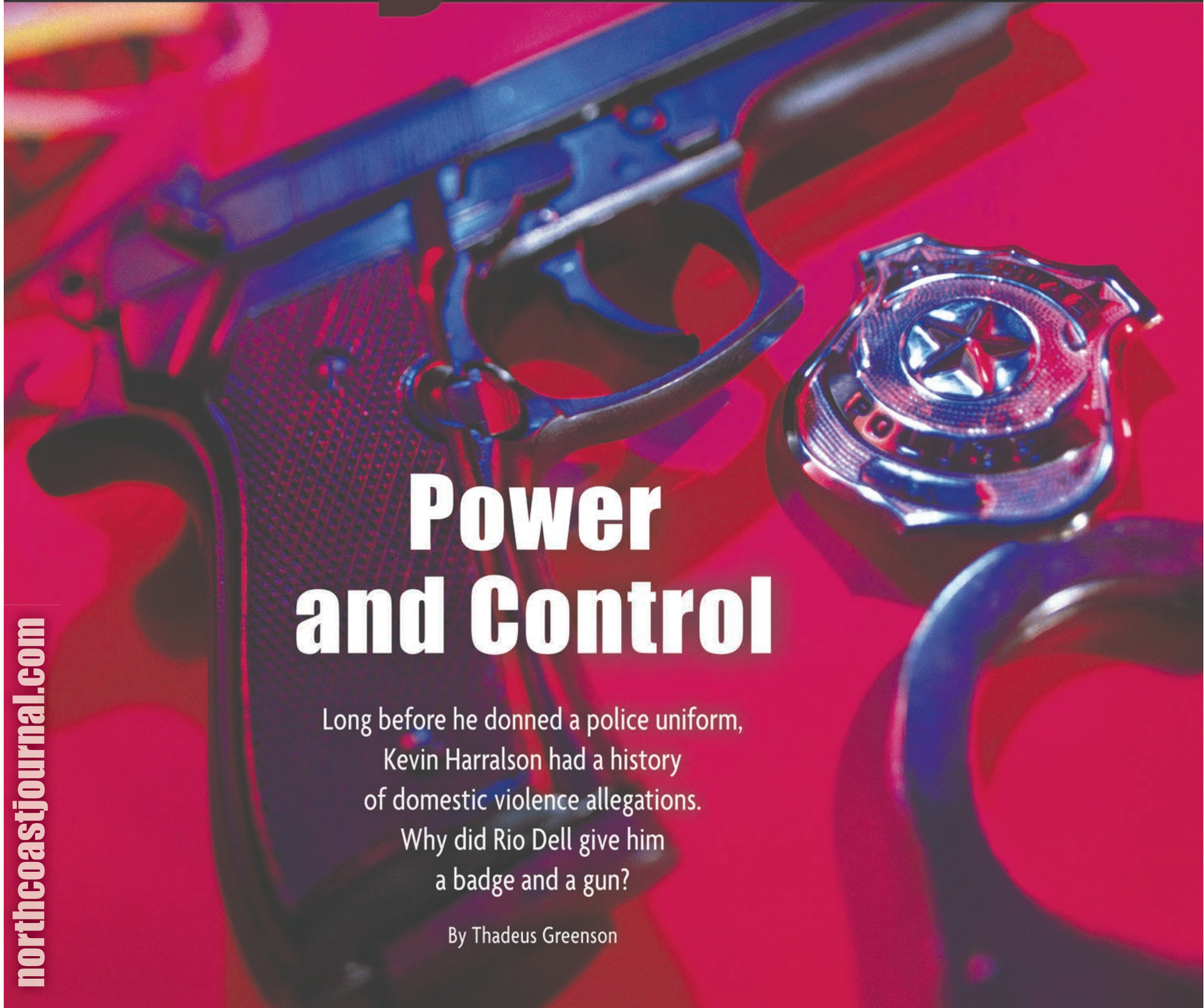


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MAILBOX

Nursing a Crisis

Editor:

"The Shut Out" (July 9) is well done, accurate as far as I can tell, and long overdue. To be clear, there have been essentially no admissions to the nursing homes for months. Not from the hospitals, not from the community, not for Hospice patients, not for PACE patients. Not for patients with Medi-Cal, Medicare, or any other kind of payment mechanism as far as I can tell. None.

This has led to overburdened hospital systems and prolonged stays in the acute setting. This leads to trouble and suffering. This has led to inadequate home-based care plans. This leads to trouble and suffering for patients and caregivers alike. Nobody prefers a nursing home environment, even a well-run nursing home. In the current scenario we are functioning in this already medically distressed and deficient community healthcare system without a safety net. On the ground, every day, this translates to the suffering of our most vulnerable neighbors, family members and friends. I am ashamed and saddened. This is a political and criminal emergency.

Michael Fratkin, Humboldt County

Editor:

In light of the recent well written article, I am hopeful many in our community will be as incensed as I am about the monopoly of the local nursing homes, and the apparent lack of oversight by the very agency that is supposed to protect these resident and their rights. This appears to be a perfect opportunity for Humboldt County to come together and look at other solutions to long-term medical care. It is possible that each and every one of us will become "that senior" someday, and I would hope that when my time comes there is a warm, inviting and caring facility for me to live out the remaining days if I was no longer able to live in my own home.

Until that time comes, there is something each one of you can do right now, and that is to become an advocate for those living in these facilities. As program manager, I know the Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program is staffed by dedicated volunteers who provide a voice for those who cannot, or are afraid to, speak for themselves. Ombudsman go through intense training to become a patient advocate. This training includes learning about the aging process, paying for long term care, resident's rights and problem solving techniques. Additionally Ombudsman are mandated to investigate all reports of suspected elder abuse in a nursing home or a residential care facility. So, you can do something to help these residents. Become an advocate today.



CARTOON BY TERRY TORGERSON

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Suzi Fregeau, Eureka

Singing another Tune

Editor:

Thank you for printing Robert "Woods" Sutherland's excellent analysis of the current cannabis propaganda campaign ("Growing Greed," July 9). As a resident of Southern Humboldt for 20 years, I have continually admired and respected Woods for his fearless advocacy for all life forms and his willingness to speak truth to power, even when the power is that powerful neighbor whom you are afraid to confront about his/her potential contamination of your drinking water because s/he is such an important member of the community and donates so much money to your favorite causes. There are a lot of people in my area who are very concerned about this rampant greed and its accompanying environmental degradation, but few who are as thoughtful and articulate as Woods and as willing to speak out about it. Thanks

again to Woods for speaking not only for me, but for all the plants and animals who have no voice in this debate.

Terrie Baune, Salmon Creek

Editor:

On July 3 the Journal ran a comic titled the "Cannabis Chorale Voice Humboldt." This comic succinctly highlights a handful of myths that have been floating around the community. Unfortunately, the humor of these myths is that so many people believe them with no evidence or expertise. For the sake of our rivers — as well the hardworking men and women who make up

our cannabis industry — I feel it is important to point out a few concerns:

You'll just have to trust us. There is nothing trust-based at all about the regulations being deliberated. There is nothing trust-based about the legislation the Emerald Growers Association, of which I'm the executive director, is supporting in Sacramento or the proposed CCVH ordinance. The cannabis farmers in Humboldt County are part of a statewide groundswell of farmers collaboratively working for regulation that involves on-site inspections.

Environmental laws just don't apply. The proposed CCVH ordinance explicitly requires compliance with all existing environmental regulations. The legislation EGA is supporting requires the same. There are few

On The Way

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By Robin J. Hodson

Comment of the Week

"Sadly most racists in Humboldt don't have any idea that they are racist. That is the scary part... helping them understand that what they say and do is hateful and harmful. We have generations of very ignorant people."

— Erin Powers-Taylor, commenting on the Journal's series on racism on Facebook.

voices saying "free the weed," but I don't take them very seriously.

Ignore our mega-grow. So the first two were objective. This one is subjective: EGA has defined a small farm as ¼ of an acre or less of cannabis. Some people may choose to describe a quarter of an acre as a mega-grow. We call it a small farm.

Diversions, pollution... just let it go. Nothing in the proposed ordinance would exempt diversions or pollution. Legislation is the same. Cannabis industry groups are generally supportive of the water board's program to regulate wastewater. We support provisions in legislation requiring mandatory organic standards.

With so much at stake, we can't afford to get distracted by myths and mistruths. Let's stay focused on facts and finish the job: It's time to regulate commercial cannabis cultivation.

Hezekiah Allen, West Sacramento

Heritage, then?

Editor:

I was stunned at Marcy Burstiner's "Road Rage" article in the June 25 edition of the NCJ. Coming from a newspaper family, I have been saddened by the lost art of journalism in today's media and this article was further proof. "Journalists" have gotten "facts" incorrect, have not bothered to

cross check "facts," and have even completely fabricated stories and printed them. These are Journalism 101 sins. Ms. Burstiner might want to use the "Road Rage" article as an example.

Ms. Burstiner's logic is Confederate flag = racist = Dylann Roof. Actually the flag being referenced was not "The" Confederate flag but the battle flag of the Confederacy. According to a CNN poll, the Confederate flag is

a means to show southern pride (57 percent of Americans believe this; 33 percent believe it is a sign of racism as Ms. Burstiner does, with 5 percent saying it's both). President Lincoln had "Dixie" played on the White House's front lawn at the end of the Civil War. Should "Dixie" be banned for being a proponent of racism? Should we brand people driving Volkswagens Nazis (look it up)? Most of liberal academia vote Democratic but it was the Democratic Party that wanted to continue slavery in our country and the Republicans (Lincoln led) who were against it.

Dylann Roof was a psychotic, racist terrorist. Unfortunately, he existed. Racism exists in the white race, the black race, the Hispanic race, the Asian race, the purple people's race and will exist until we are taught and learn differently. Equating a person displaying the Confederate battle flag with being a racist will not help. I sincerely hope that the only profession mentioned in the Bill of Rights of our Constitution, the Freedom of the Press, will be used correctly by the students of the chair of the Department of Journalism at Humboldt State University.

Rick Brennan, Eureka

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GET OUTDOORS!

Left With Nothing

By Steve Dodge

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Let us have a viable Humboldt County economy. The average 2,300 square foot cannabis garden, suggested by the California Department of Fish and Wildlife, is only viable now because prices have not yet bottomed out and no one is paying half their income in administrative and tax expenses. The following facts, figures and estimates faced by the Humboldt family paint a very grim picture. We are going to be regulated and taxed into extinction!

The Northcoast Environmental Center has suggested that rules dictate total garden canopy sizes be no more than 2,000 square feet and only 99 plants. The Humboldt Mendocino Marijuana Advocacy Project has suggested that total garden canopy size be no more than 2,500 square feet. We will use the average existing garden size of 2,300 square feet that Fish and Wildlife overflights have suggested for our calculations.

Based on interviews with local growers, the maximum potential yield is about one-tenth of a pound of processed cannabis per square foot. If the garden is 2,300 square feet, then this represents 230 pounds per year. The future, average sales price will most likely drop to \$1,000 per pound. This figure is based on the declining black market price point — nearly a \$200 to \$300 price drop over the last few years.

So far, the cannabis farmer's total gross annual income is \$230,000 a year. Let us now subtract the potential costs of making

this gross income.

— The income tax bracket for a three-person farming family is 25 percent to 28 percent (33 percent if single) or \$57,500 plus. After taxes, the farmer will have \$172,500 left. This rate is based on IRS tax rates that can be verified online. Most federal deductions are not allowed since cannabis is taxed on gross sales.

— The median property tax for Humboldt County is \$1,651 for a home and curtilage (taken from www.propertytax101.org). This leaves the farmer with \$170,849.

— Interviews with local growers indicate that the average cost of producing one pound of market-ready cannabis is \$500. If we multiply by 230 pounds, this represents another \$115,000 that farmer must pay, leaving them with \$55,000.

— The Census Bureau suggests that average business expenses are about \$10,000 for this income bracket. This leaves our farming family with \$45,000. At this point, the income is just above the average cost of living for a three-person family in Humboldt County after taxes.

— The county business license is \$335.45 each year according to humboldt.gov.org. (California Cannabis Voice Humboldt has proposed a \$25 business license fee in its draft marijuana land use proposal.)

— The California Department of Food and Agriculture will likely assess \$150 each year for a California Nursery License — which all Humboldt nurseries pay.

— The State Board of Equalization

charges a \$25 per year registration fee to register your business and obtain a sales license.

— CCVH has suggested a proposed excise tax of 50 cents per square foot or \$1,150 on a cannabis farm of 2,300 square feet (excise tax is 15 percent of sales in Colorado).

— Potential county permitting fees could be as high as what Colorado is levying: a whopping \$10,000 to \$15,000 per year. We will use a more modest, and unsubstantiated, \$2,300 each year (this is \$1 assessed per square foot).

These five items add up to \$3,960.45, leaving the farmer with a \$41,039.55 yearly income. This is a best case scenario. These fees could be 10 times more expensive!

The Census Bureau has posted the average cost of living for a family of three in Humboldt County varying between \$40,000 to \$45,000.

Now we will add in expected compliance costs, including the average cost to meet code (including employees, quarters, kitchens, bathrooms, work environment, insurance and other infrastructure) at an estimated \$10 per square foot or \$23,000 (or much more); the average well drilling and installation cost of about \$10,000 (or, again, much more); and the average cost to install a pond of about \$10,000, based on local prices (or much more). These developmental costs represent a minimum of \$43,000 in potential costs. We strongly suspect these costs will be much higher, but at \$43,000, the costs represents nearly

the entire yearly income of our farmer.

This means that they are left with nothing!

No money to buy a home.

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These expenses will wipe out the majority of small growers.

These “caps” to save the small grower are going to destroy them.

In desperation, these people will retreat to the black market and necessary regulation will fail.

If your garden is 2,300 square feet now, after legalization that footprint will have to double to maintain your current income. We want more than a subsistence life for our children. No one knows enough about where this business is going to be putting limits on it. We need to stay agile. *Forbes* magazine has recently suggested that we should be prepared to pay 50 percent of our current income to the federal government. ●

Steve Dodge lives in Garberville and is a member of the Humboldt Growers Collective. You can read more at www.humboldtgrower.wordpress.com.

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The Numbers are Out and the Jury is In

Hard facts on the scope of Humboldt's homelessness problem and the obstacles to solving it

By Linda Stansberry

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The average homeless person in Humboldt County is male. He is white, between 35 and 45 years of age. He lives in Eureka and sleeps unsheltered, probably in a tent or car. It is likely he has a disabling condition such as a physical injury. The odds are great that he has been homeless for at least two years. These statistics are all drawn from the recent draft report of the Point in Time Count, a biannual effort by the Humboldt Housing and Homeless Coalition. In January, volunteers from across the county visited homeless camps and shelters to survey Humboldt County residents experiencing housing insecurity. The draft report, due for release July 16, coincides with a recent Grand Jury report which found a "lack of coordination and collaboration" between the county, the Eureka City Council and "dedicated homeless service providers." The report also concluded that existing services and strategies are stymied by a "critical lack of affordable housing in Humboldt County."

The total number of homeless in Humboldt County appears to be large, growing and elusive. Volunteers polled a total of 1,319 people in 2015, roughly 1 percent of the county's total population. Numbers are up from the last count, which estimated there were 1,054 homeless people living in Humboldt. (Committee members from the Humboldt Housing and Homeless Coalition say the 2013 count was missing a great deal of data.) The figures, which follow U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development guidelines, do not include people living in clean and sober housing, staying with families or relatives, or any children experiencing housing insecurity.

At the July 9 meeting of the HHHC, when the draft report was released, Arcata House Executive Director Fox Olson said there were some issues finding people who "wanted to take the lead" on the count. The *Humboldt Edge*, a newsletter dedicated to "the creative expression of people living on the street," criticized the length of time it took to release PIT count numbers. Olson said she and others took on PIT duties in addition to their normal workloads, which was partially responsible for the delay. Committee members devoted much of their efforts this year to streamlining the questionnaire, eliminating as many write-in answers as possible so that the forms could be scanned. The two-page forms were filled out by volunteers, who asked people where they had slept on the night of Jan. 27. An estimated 64 percent of those polled were unsheltered, the remaining 36 percent had slept at a friend's house, in a shelter or in jail. The majority of those who slept unsheltered — 87 percent — were camping. Eureka had the highest proportion of homeless people, followed by Arcata, Southern Humboldt and Fortuna. The draft report did not distinguish geographical areas such as Trinidad, McKinleyville or Rio Dell.

Olson and others were careful to state the PIT count is only a "snapshot" of the entire issue. Nezzie Wade, who works with the Affordable Homeless Housing Alternatives, volunteered on this year's count and said the numbers may well be a fraction of the actual population living in Humboldt's green spaces. On Jan. 28, she and her team set up along the Hikshari Trail in Eureka, where Wade says she normally sees plenty of people. But

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on the day of their count, it "was a ghost town." She and her volunteers walked along the water, behind the Bayshore Mall, but found few people to speak to. Those she did run into were often unwilling to fill out the questionnaire. A rumor had been going through the camps that "Federal Emergency Management Agency authorities were rounding up people and taking them away." The *Journal* could find no evidence to substantiate this rumor, but the Eureka Police Department and the Sheriff's Work Alternative Program did sweep the area on Jan. 29, a day after Wade and her crew conducted their count. Law enforcement would have posted notices warning of the sweep at least three days in advance of the clean-up, which may have contributed to the low number of people polled.

Eureka Police Chief Andy Mills said his department "purposefully did not do any enforcement while they were doing the Point in Time count."

Mills and other agencies have recently had to revise their original Four Step Plan to address homelessness within Eureka. Plans to establish a sanctuary camp while rapidly rehousing individuals appear to have stalled, meaning that illegal camps in Eureka's greenbelt areas of will continue to sprout. The city has pledged to make weekly visits to these camps, however, working with the Sheriff's Work Alternative Program to aggressively clean the area.

The number of PIT respondents who reported having a disabling condition has increased by 9.3 percent from 2013, with nearly half of those polled saying they have a substance abuse disorder, a serious mental health problem or a chronic physical illness. Thirty-seven percent of those polled have been a victim of domestic violence. One of the pieces of data that drew the most attention from committee members was the amount of time people had been homeless. Sixty-nine percent said they had been continuously homeless for a year or more, with 8 percent reporting being homeless for 30 to 36 months out of the last three years.

Both Wade and Olsen said that the amount of time homeless is critical.

"The longer people stay out on the streets, the harder it is to house them," Olson said, adding that a person may be

sheltered for part of the time but still housing insecure. "If a person is on SSI, they'll be getting around \$880 around the first part of the month, and would be staying in a hotel or motel, moving later to a shelter when the money runs out."

The PIT count also does not give a full picture of homeless school-age children in Humboldt County. A parallel Point in Time count conducted by the Humboldt County Office of Education found there were 548 homeless children in the Humboldt County school system. Another survey, which drew from a year's worth of data from school records, put the number of homeless students at 1,058 for the 2013-2014 school year.

The Humboldt grand jury report, released last month, cites lack of coordination and organization as major sources of frustration for those involved in the continuum of care, and points to the fumbled Four Step Plan as an example. All current plans to deal with homelessness are "flawed," according to the jury, due to a lack of affordable housing. The jury recommended that the Humboldt County Board of Supervisors and Eureka City Council "form a housing trust fund establishing a Joint Powers Authority."

Agencies that receive HUD funding are expected to document a reduction in the homeless population. While the current PIT count doesn't indicate success in this regard, Olson said she is optimistic that funding will remain intact.

"I think what it means is that on some levels and certain categories we're doing better. For example, folks that are chronically homeless, we're dedicating more beds to helping those people," Olson said, adding that while there are mixed opinions about the accuracy of the count, the relatively consistent number of people throughout the years indicates that the population is remaining steady and being tallied correctly. "It's just a snapshot. The homeless folks in town will tell you it's a big huge undercount and we don't get the full number. I look at it as a guiding document."

Members of the Humboldt Housing and Homeless Coalition are finalizing some of the data in the draft report and will be available to comment on their findings at the end of the week.

EMERGENCY

Firefighters Killed

Two U.S. Forest Service firefighters were killed after the truck they were in drove into the Trinity River.

The driver, 29-year-old Dale Alexander Mendes, of Willow Creek, and 19-year-old Jason Fritz Price Jr., of Weitchpec, were discovered the morning of July 9 by a resident who reported an overturned black truck in the river. The CHP believes the truck drove off of Seeley McIntosh Road.

— Thadeus Greenson

MEDICAL / HEALTH

Palliative Care Launch

ResolutionCare, a locally based palliative care program that the *Journal* wrote about last year, just announced a partnership with a Northern California healthcare group for a six-month pilot program.

Michael Fratkin, the founder of ResolutionCare, launched a successful crowdfunding campaign last year, and has been working to create a program that will allow more and more people to receive care at home in the final moments of their lives. Fratkin's model includes both in-person and telemedicine visits, as well as a networking and teaching component to spread palliative care knowledge among rural doctors and nurses.

The pilot program is in conjunction with Partnership HealthPlan of California, a state-contracted nonprofit that coordinates Medi-Cal care through local care providers, and is expected to provide in-home palliative care for 55 members of the company, which serves 14 Northern California counties, including Humboldt.

— Grant Scott-Goforth

The following is an abridged version of the Journal's three part series about racism behind the redwood curtain. Read the full articles online at www.northcoastjournal.com.

Humboldt's Lonely Racists

She is a dental hygienist, a vegetarian, an animal rights advocate, a mother, a beer drinker and a self-proclaimed white nationalist. Thus reads the profile of one Eureka resident, whose user name is "Fenria." Fenria is one of the handful of Humboldt residents who post on Stormfront, a

white supremacist website.

According to a 2014 report by the Southern Poverty Law Center, almost 100 people were murdered by Stormfront users in the last five years. The SPLC says Stormfront forums "nurture budding killers" and allow them to connect with like-minded people.

In light of the recent Charleston shootings

and the renewed conversation about racism in America, we wanted to know if members of this white supremacist cyber community walk among us. So we dived in, trawling the site's forums using the keyword search "Humboldt."

Here's what we found out:

Humboldt County is a lonely place for some racists. This according to user "White dragyn," whose posts resemble the saddest Craigslist singles ad ever. "I'm on the North Coast of California....very lonely up here," he says, later reporting that he is homeless and looking for work as a writer. "I can write propaganda," he says, drawing no replies. While bigots in the Sacramento and Los Angeles areas seem to have regular white pride potlucks, Humboldt folks either have little follow through or are too canny to advertise their plans. A few shout outs to the ether asking for a get-together are met with no response.

Not every secessionist is a white supremacist, but almost every white supremacist appears to be a secessionist. The leading location of most posters on the Humboldt-related forums appears to be "State of Jefferson" or "Would-Be State of Jefferson." Most Stormfront members decry the increased racial diversity of California and solicit input on where they should move to be in a "racially pure" community. Humboldt's relative lack of racial diversity seems to be a draw for some, although it's far from an extremist's paradise.

They feel oppressed everywhere, all the time, and that's kind of the scary part. The Southern Poverty Law Center



A TRUCK PARKED IN FRONT OF THE YELLOW ROSE IN PETROLIA. LINDA STANSBERRY

profiles a potential committer of hate crimes as a frustrated, impoverished young white male who "instead of building his resume, seeking employment or further education projects his grievances on society and searches the Internet for an excuse or an explanation unrelated to his behavior or the choices he has made in life." We found at least one Stormfront user who met this description. He likes Slipknot and Korn and Jesus. He works as a dishwasher at a local restaurant. He would like to donate to Stormfront he says, but the financial situation with his fiancé right now makes it impossible. He feels embattled everywhere, even at work, where his "managers are a mexi who is a member of the NAACP, so are the managers at other restaurant....there's only two white male waiters, and the rest of us are dishwashers who do the majority of the work for less pay than the cooks."

They have strong opinions about Humboldt State University. One HSU philosophy student tells a story of confronting his professor when the professor dared say something negative about Nazis. Some unrepeatable things were posted on the forum about the 2013 bus crash that killed five students on their way to the university. "Who are these sick-minded liberal losers, who want to bring Blacks into a beautiful White part of the country?" asks one concerned citizen.

Our local white supremacists are just like the rest of us, except, you know, racist and crazy. Meet local jackboots-wearer and nature-lover FragHag. FragHag spends a lot of time on Stormfront talking

about ceramics and exchanging recipes. She's one of a large number of white supremacists who use the site to discuss genealogy and other relatively benign topics. Of course, one could probably find pleasant conversations about all of one's interests on websites that don't promote hatred, bigotry and violence, but apparently it's important for FragHag to talk about lemon meringue pie in a place where she can truly be herself.

— Linda Stansberry

Stars, Bars and the Backs of Cars

Why would anyone sport a Confederate flag this far north of the Mason-Dixon line?

Humboldt County has no deep ties to the Deep South. Our lone Confederate notable, brigadier general Gabriel J. Rains, both fought and protected Native Americans from his post at Fort Humboldt before leaving to join the secessionist cause. It doesn't appear that there are any public buildings or monuments named after Rains or other Confederate soldiers in Humboldt County, meaning that we will be unaffected by a proposed bill in the California Senate that would ban public property from having the names of Confederate leaders. Further down the coast, Fort Bragg (named after Confederate Gen. Braxton Bragg), may be in for a dramatic change. While there was a Confederate contingent in Southern California, Humboldt remained loyal to the Union cause.

And yet, the Confederate flag still appears under the redwoods and fog from time to time. The Hawg Wild Bar in Orick

no longer flies it, and it has been mostly exterminated from the parking lot of Ferndale High, but it is alive and well on the bumpers of some local vehicles, and even on windows in Eureka's Old Town.

The *Journal* was unable to track down a local flag bearer who was willing to go on record, but we did get a few photos from readers who had spotted the symbol of the Confederacy in local parking lots and byways. One was framed by the old slogan: "heritage not hate." We also saw a Confederate flag license plate holder sharing space with pro-gun and anti-Obama stickers on a pickup driving southbound on Broadway. On the driver's side door was a mysterious symbol, something like an upward-pointing arrow with a drooping dash through it. Later we scanned through the glossary of hate symbols on the Anti-Defamation League's website and identified the symbol as belonging to a white supremacist group known as the "Free America Rally." Evidently, the owner of that truck leans more towards hate than heritage.

Kintay Johnson, assistant director of the Extended Opportunity Programs and Services department at College of the Redwoods, says that many of the students of color who come into his office feel isolated and unwelcome in Humboldt. Johnson, who spoke about his experience as an African-American at a recent TedX event, moved to Humboldt from Pensacola, Florida, 12 years ago. He said the racial atmosphere in Humboldt was a welcome change from his hometown, where profiling was a common police practice. He has seen a few examples of overt racism, including an incident in which a stranger accosted him and his friends on the Arcata Plaza, spewing racial epithets.

"I brought it up in class and someone said there are a lot of those people running around here, it's just not as overt in the South," says Johnson. "That's when I started seeing Confederate flags, and I just thought 'Whoa, what is this doing here, 3,000 miles away from the South?'"

Johnson says that the Confederate flag, which was much more prominent where he grew up, is "not a symbol of heritage. It's hate." His first reaction when he sees it is to avoid whoever is wearing or displaying it, but because he works with the public this can be difficult. So instead he leans into the conflict, trying to change hearts and minds.

"I try to break down any stereotype they may have heard about black people, to help them see that those negative images they see on TV or whatever, they're not true," he says, recalling the time he

was called to help a student who had a Confederate flag tattooed onto the back of his neck. "It took me aback, but then I thought, 'I'm really going to help this guy. I'm going to make this the best experience he's ever had, and that's how I'll help.' So I did."

Michael Ross, a business owner who moved to Humboldt from Chicago, also says that Eureka has been a welcoming environment for him and his family. Ross says he has had experiences in which he felt he was being racially profiled by the police. But for the most part, Ross's experience has been in line with national statistics regarding racial attitudes in the United States, which show Humboldt County as one of the country's most tolerant regions.

Still, both Ross and Johnson say they feel safer and more welcome in Eureka and Arcata. Johnson says he was racially profiled and stopped by law enforcement in McKinleyville. Neither men feel totally comfortable there, or in Fortuna and Ferndale, especially after dark.

In May of this year, a postal worker in Eureka reported being physically and verbally abused while delivering mail. He says that his assailants called him the n-word before they punched him.

Ross, who cuts an imposing figure, says that he isn't on the receiving end of a lot of racially-motivated behavior because, ultimately, "most racists are cowards." He is more concerned about his daughter, who will soon be entering the public school system.

"I'll be teaching her how to handle herself when she's confronted with some of these stupid ideals," says Ross, who has already begun talking to his daughter about her African heritage and the aspects of her background he says aren't taught in history class. "She'll be armed with power."

— Linda Stansberry

Sorry, Not Sorry

Although Confederate flags do appear on the occasional barn wall, truck bumper or window, Humboldt County had no real role in the Southern cause. But the War of the States did have a marked effect on the Redwood Coast, according to Humboldt State University history professor Thomas Mays.

When the troops left Fort Humboldt to fight in the war, local tribes saw an opportunity to reclaim their indigenous land and began escalating violence against white settlers. This drew a weighty and

horrific response from vigilante groups.

"The home guard used it as an opportunity to solve their 'Indian problem' once and for all," says Mays adding that attacks against Native Americans by the local militia escalated. "By 1863, volunteers were pulled out. Then Seth Kinman and others showed up."

Kinman, who is suspected of participating in the 1860 massacre of Wiyot women and children on Indian Island, was one of many locals who took part in routine massacres and "round ups" of Native Americans during and after the Civil War. Those not killed were pressed into slavery, exposed to infectious disease or marched to reservations far away from their tribal lands. Landmarks in our region bear the names of men who participated in this genocide. Larabee Valley, for example, is named for Henry Larabee, who once boasted of having "killed 60 infants with his own hatchet." The Kelsey Recreation Trail, in the Marble Mountains, bears the name of Ben Kelsey, who slaughtered Native Americans as part of the Sonoma Gang before becoming a founder of Arcata.

When a society is structured in a way to systematically advantage one group over another, this is known as systemic racism. The philosophy of Manifest Destiny and blunt dehumanization used to justify the genocide of Native Americans on the North Coast are blatant examples of systemic racism, but other forms still exist, in our schools, our jails and public institutions.

An investigation into the allegations against Eureka City Schools and a subsequent study revealed that students of color were disproportionately disciplined for minor infractions and shunted into non-college-track courses.

The city of Fortuna is one of a handful of cities in California that do not recognize Martin Luther King Jr. day as a holiday. While state employees take the day off, for city workers it's just another day. Fortuna does recognize Admission Day, which celebrates the admission of California into the union.

In March 2014 the city of Eureka retracted a draft letter of apology to the Wiyot tribe for the Indian Island massacre. City officials felt that the original letter, which acknowledged the participation by Eureka citizenry in the massacre and offered a formal apology for a "massacre of unfathomable proportions," might expose the city to litigation, a fear that appears to be unfounded. A second letter, vague in language, was proffered instead.

Although Native Americans make

up just 6 percent of Humboldt's overall population, they account for 17 percent of those suffering housing insecurity, according to a recent draft report from the Humboldt Housing and Homeless Coalition. Both Native American and African-American children are disproportionately represented in the child welfare system.

Still, leaders in the African-American and Native American communities say that strides are being made. A.V. Powell, head of Humboldt County's chapter of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, says the organization is focused on political action.

"Our goal is to get as many young people as we can to vote and get them interested in their government," he says. "I try to impress upon them that people of my generation died for that right."

Chag Lowry, program manager for the Native Cultures Fund at the Humboldt Area Foundation, says media focus on the problems rather than the solutions is a common, unacknowledged example of systemic racism.

"Who chooses how to portray us is important," says Lowry. "When we start to go to systemic racism, we don't focus on the efforts native people are undertaking."

The True North Community Organizing Network, which is also under the umbrella of the Humboldt Area Foundation, recently hired a native community organizer. Local tribes are involved in providing social services for their members, care for children and elders, education outreach, language revitalization services, environmental oversight and cultural events. Lowry says these important aspects of contemporary tribal life are often under-represented by the media.

On July 10, South Carolina lowered the Confederate flag for the final time in the state's capital, turning the controversial piece of cloth over to a state history museum. The flag had gained national attention after the shooting of black churchgoers by a self-proclaimed white supremacist. Discussion of the Confederate flag on the *Journal's* own website and Facebook page generated a hefty amount of criticism on both sides, with some readers emphasizing heritage and others hatred. The flag, say many, is just a symbol. Yes, say others, but what it symbolizes is worthy of a critical eye. It remains to be seen if that same critical eye will be applied to our region's own legacy of slavery, genocide and racism, a legacy that has no stars and bars to point at, no banner to wave nor to lower.

— Linda Stansberry ●

Evergreen State Oversupply

By Grant Scott-Goforth

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Bust season is in full swing, with the Humboldt County Sheriff's Office serving warrants on parcels suspected of harboring marijuana grows in the northeastern corner of the county, near Weitchpec.

Sheriff's Lt. Wayne Hanson says it's all part of the yearly, decades-old eradication measures the county takes, and says there are about 20 law enforcement personnel involved, including officers from the county drug task force, the National Guard, Fish and Wildlife and CAMP.

Details were scant, though, as the *Journal* went to press. Sheriff's Lt. George Cavinta, who was in charge of the Island Mountain raids a couple weeks ago, was on scene in the Weitchpec area July 13 and 14, but hadn't compiled statistics from the first two days' operations (*North Coast News* reported 1,000 plants were eradicated Monday).

Hanson said there haven't been any "incidents" — meaning violent encounters — but cell phone service in the area is too spotty to get regular updates from officers on the ground.

The sheriff's office gets cash from the U.S. Drug Enforcement Agency on three-year grant cycles, about \$150,000 a year, Hanson said, to help cover the overtime and operational costs of these summertime raids. "Regardless if we receive federal grant money, we would still be conducting these operations," he said. "It's beneficial that we do receive funding but it's a necessity to the county of Humboldt. We can't turn a blind eye."

As reported by the *Lost Coast Outpost* and others last week, Richard Marks has resigned his post as the executive director of California Cannabis Voice Humboldt, the political action committee that has introduced draft marijuana-related tax and land use ordinances in the last couple weeks (see the *Week in Weed* articles from July 2 and July 9).

Marks, echoing statements from CCVH, said he had agreed to serve the organization up until the point that legislation was

introduced. He said he was happy with the group's accomplishments over the last year, though he acknowledged that it has a long way to go, with the ordinances now in a self-imposed 45-day public comment period, to be followed by a review by the board of supervisors, and a potential signature-gathering and ballot campaign if the board rejects the proposal.

"They have big mountains to climb but they've already climbed what's been in front of them," he said.

Between his roles as president of the Humboldt Bay Harbor District, treasurer of Humboldt Domestic Violence Services, director of the North Coast Railroad Authority and "babysitting 500 adults" this summer (he's also president of the Samoa Softball Association), Marks said he had plenty on his plate without CCVH.

Washington bagged \$65 million in taxes from the sale of marijuana during the first year of legal recreational pot, Reuters reports, selling 23,000 pounds of the 31,000 pounds produced under the state's regulatory scheme.

That exceeds by a fair margin the amount collected in Colorado during its first year of collecting sales tax on adult-use weed. Colorado netted \$44 million in taxes, underwhelming estimates. (The state may also have to return the money to taxpayers due to a loophole in state law, see "Tax Returns," Feb. 19.)

Clearly, recreational pot can be a boon to state (and potentially, local) governments, but another takeaway from Washington's announcement is that supply far outweighs demand. Twenty-five percent of the domestically grown product went unsold, which could mean many things, including that the state's oversupply would lead to cascading prices. And the black market is almost certainly still thriving, with people buying pot grown off the books. If Humboldt County is home to 4,000 marijuana grows, you can bet most of those are producing more than 8 pounds, which would match the legal production in all of Washington state. ●

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Power and Control

Long before he donned a police uniform, Kevin Harralson had a history of domestic violence allegations. Why did Rio Dell give him a badge and a gun?

By Thadeus Greenson

Rio Dell police officer Kevin Harralson had a history of domestic violence allegations years before he allegedly punched his girlfriend twice and ordered her out of his home at gunpoint with his service weapon in late March. In fact, when district attorney investigators summoned him to the Rio Dell police department on June 5 with an arrest warrant, it was the sixth time Harralson had been contacted by police investigating a domestic abuse report, according to court documents in his case file.

In addition to new details in the current charges facing Harralson — two counts of domestic battery and another of brandishing a firearm — the documents also paint a picture of an alleged abuser with a more than decade-long pattern of behavior that includes allegations of physical and verbal abuse, directed at both his intimate partners and his children. In a state that strictly governs the hiring process for police officers, the documents — and specifically a six-page affidavit prepared by a district attorney

investigator who interviewed Harralson's girlfriend, ex-wife, daughter and others — raise questions about how Harralson became a police officer, whether he was given preferential treatment in the process and whether local agencies did all they could to protect alleged victims in the case.

Many of those questions swirl around Rio Dell Police Chief Graham Hill, Harralson's brother-in-law, who promoted Harralson to the position of police officer in June of 2009, about three years after Harralson completed probation.

Through his attorney — Michael Robinson — Harralson has pleaded not guilty in the current case and denies all the allegations facing him, saying he hopes to be exonerated and return to work.

A local product standing 6 feet, 220 pounds, Harralson, 35, started dating his now ex-wife when he was just 18 years old and she had yet to turn 16. By the time the pair married eight years later, in April of 2006, they had two children. Harralson also had a domestic

violence case on his record.

According to court documents, Harralson's now ex stopped by his house after she got off work one day in 2002 to retrieve their son, then a toddler. When she found Harralson had a female companion over, an argument ensued and Harralson reportedly refused to turn over their son. When his ex went into the house to get the boy, Harralson allegedly grabbed her by the neck and began choking her. When she hit him and wrangled free, Harralson allegedly went out to her car, punched out her windshield, grabbed her car keys and threw them into a nearby park. The ex grabbed their son and left, walking home, according to the court documents.

The Humboldt County District Attorney's Office eventually charged Harralson with battery, false imprisonment and misdemeanor vandalism. He pleaded guilty in July of 2003 to a single count of disturbing the peace and was sentenced to 40 hours of community service and three years' probation, and mandated to attend a 52-week domestic violence course.

But by the time that case had worked

its way through the system, Harralson had again been contacted by police, this time in Rio Dell after he allegedly walked into his ex-wife's place of work and punched her in the head. A police report was taken, according to court documents, but officials took no further action.

There were other contacts, as well: One for suspicion of child endangerment in 1999; another for battery on a cohabitant in 2002 and a third for vandalism in 2003. No charges were filed in any of these cases.

Meanwhile, court records indicate Harralson had a hard time following through on the requirements of his guilty plea. Bench warrants were issued for his arrest after he failed to appear for court in November 2003 and then in May of 2004. In July of that year he got a job with the Rio Dell Public Works Department, though he skipped a pair of court appearances that same month, resulting in more warrants for his arrest.

Court minutes also indicate Harralson didn't begin his mandated domestic violence courses until six months after his

guilty plea, with a May 2004 update in his court file noting he was making “excellent progress” four months into the year-long course.

Harralson finished his probation in July of 2006. A couple of years later — in April 2008 — he was hired as a police services and animal control officer in Rio Dell, where Hill, his brother-in-law, had served as chief since 2004 and worked since 1995. About a year later — on June 12, 2009 — Harralson became a full-fledged police officer.

“(Harralson’s ex-wife) told me that when Kevin was going through the process to become a police officer he failed his first psychological test,” a district attorney investigator wrote in the affidavit for Harralson’s most recent arrest. “Kevin told her that it was his fault that he failed. (She) remembered that after failing this test Graham Hill came over and helped him study and he passed the next psychological test.”

More than that of perhaps any other public employee, the process of hiring a police officer in California is stringent and closely governed by the state Commission on Police Officer Standards and Training. There’s a strict process agencies must follow that includes comprehensive criminal history checks, background investigations and literacy tests, as well as physical and psychological examinations. In addition to the basics — showing they are 18 years old with a high-school degree or a GED and no felony convictions — candidates must demonstrate they are of “good moral character.”

The reason the process is so tightly controlled is simple: The stakes are high, with successful candidates walking away with government-issued firearms and the power of the state behind them.

“This is a unique profession,” says Eureka Police Chief Andrew Mills. “We invest a lot of power in the police to take someone’s liberty, to use high levels of force, to search and seize property. We want to make sure we get this right.”

Mills and a couple of other local chiefs took time recently to walk the *Journal* through their respective hiring processes, which were very similar. First, candidates are required to complete an almost 50-page questionnaire that details their work, personal, financial and legal histories, and includes questions asking if they’ve ever committed an act of domestic violence or hit a child.

Then, there’s a criminal history check, which takes two forms. First, as Arcata Police Chief Tom Chapman explains it, departments run candidates’ fingerprints

through several systems, checking to make sure they are who they claim to be and pulling up any records of their being convicted of a crime or booked into jail. Departments are especially careful to look for records of disqualifying convictions: Those for felonies or misdemeanors that would prohibit a candidate from possessing a firearm.

In addition to the fingerprint checks, departments also must contact police agencies in any city or area where the candidate has lived, gone to school, worked or spent any prolonged amount of time. These letters ask departments to provide a record of all law enforcement contacts with the candidate, which would include any time they were the subject of a police report, detained by the agency or the focus of a criminal investigation. So, if the candidate got a noise complaint from a large party, got cited for walking a dog off leash or was investigated for a sexual assault, all of that should come up.

Evidence of a misdemeanor offense isn’t in and of itself a deal breaker, Chapman and Mills say, noting that getting caught in possession of a joint or being involved in a fight as a teenager shouldn’t in and of itself prevent someone from being a cop. But, both said there are certain crimes and classes of crime that would make them very leery. The key, they said, is to gather enough information to put the incident into the context of the candidate’s life.

“For me — and I can only speak to my agency — temperament, maturity, empathy, decision making, and especially decision making under pressure, are all things that I’m really mindful of,” Chapman says, adding that it’s important to determine if that dog-without-a-leash citation was a momentary lapse or part of a pattern of disregard for the law. “Any violent, assaultive behavior would be very concerning for me.”

Departments are also required to do background checks, talking to candidates’ references, family members and neighbors, and do extensive interviews designed to determine how candidates think on their feet and whether their philosophies fit with the community and agency in question. Then there’s the psychological suitability examination, in which a certified psychologist evaluates candidates and whether they are mentally and psychologically fit for police work. If a candidate fails this test — as Harralson reportedly did — the government code allows him or her to seek a second opinion, at his or her own expense, to submit to the department.

In its entirety, a police officer hiring
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RIO DELL POLICE CHIEF GRAHAM HILL HIRED HARRALSON, HIS BROTHER-IN-LAW, TO BE AN OFFICER BACK IN 2009. HOW MUCH HILL KNEW ABOUT THE DOMESTIC VIOLENCE ALLEGATIONS FACING HARRALSON REMAINS UNCLEAR. PHOTO BY THADEUS GREENSON

process takes months to complete and can be stressful for those with the ultimate say on whether to give a 20-something-year-old a gun and send them off into the field. Chapman said it's hard to overstate the stakes when it comes to hiring decisions: Mistakes expose cities to liability and put lives at risk. Mills said it's imperative for agencies to be thorough.

"We're really trying to look at the whole person," Mills says. "How do they treat people? Are they people who have respect for others? Do they discriminate? Do we have someone who's an abuser of other people? ... I want to know what kind of person this is. Is this the kind of person I want to have over to dinner or to come babysit my children?"

Already with the Rio Dell department, Harralson applied for a police officer position with the Fortuna Police Department "in the recent past," according to court documents, and began the background investigation process. "Harralson withdrew from the process shortly before he was failed," according to court documents. The investigator writes that he believes that abuse allegations from interviews with both his current partner and ex-wife were the reason Harralson withdrew from the process, and that the allegations were passed on to Hill.

The Rio Dell chief declined to comment on what, if any, information he received from the Fortuna Police Depart-

ment. He similarly declined to comment on what he knew of past allegations facing Harralson when he hired him, other than to say Rio Dell follows the "uniform state standards" for hiring. Fortuna Police Chief Bill Dobberstein similarly declined to comment on Harralson's application to work for his department, noting that the background investigation process is "completely confidential," adding that disqualified candidates aren't even informed specifically what derailed their candidacy. Speaking generally, Dobberstein said if a criminal allegation were to come up during background investigation interviews, the department would likely refer the person making the allegations to file an official report with the agency of jurisdiction over the alleged crime.

Whatever happened — or did not happen — with the information turned up during Fortuna's background investigation, it wouldn't be long before Harralson again found himself accused. At some point in

late March, "Jane Doe" — who said she'd dated Harralson on and off for about two and a half years — went to his Rio Dell home to confront him about an affair she thought he was having with a Humboldt County correctional officer. During the

ensuing argument, Harralson punched her twice in the leg, according to court documents, and then asked her to "take off her clothes because he had become horny." When Doe refused, Harralson "retrieved his duty pistol from his duty belt and pointed it at her face," telling her to leave.

Harralson's girlfriend also told the district attorney investigator of another incident in Fortuna this past August, when she and Harralson had been arguing

over a series of text messages to another woman that she'd found on his phone. "This led to (Jane Doe) confronting him about the other woman and he grabbed her around the neck and choked her," the affidavit states.

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By the Numbers

3 The average number of women killed every day in the United States by a current or former intimate partner

4 The average number of domestic violence reports in California per 1,000 residents annually from 2004 through 2013

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25 Percentage of women who have experienced "severe physical violence" at the hands of an intimate partner at some point in their lives

26 Percentage of all violent crimes against women in 2009 in the U.S. that were carried out by a current or former spouse, boyfriend or girlfriend

857 Domestic violence reports to Humboldt County law enforcement in 2014

\$5.8 billion What intimate partner violence costs the nation annually, including \$4.1 billion in health care costs

\$13 billion Amount U.S. employers lose annually to domestic violence due to absences and lost productivity

SOURCES: CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS AND REHABILITATION, FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATIONS, BUREAU OF JUSTICE AND THE NATIONAL NETWORK TO END DOMESTIC VIOLENCE.

book message to Lt. Matt Eberhardt of the Fortuna Police Department, who she'd known for about 10 years, asking about a hypothetical domestic violence situation. Eberhardt then went to her place of work and spoke with her for about 30 minutes, and listened as she reportedly relayed the allegations against Harralson. The Fortuna lieutenant then notified the district attorney's office, which immediately launched a formal investigation.

Humboldt County District Attorney Maggie Fleming said Hill was notified "very early on" of the existence of criminal investigation targeting Harralson "but was not aware of the extent of the investigation" until Harralson's arrest. Harralson remained an active member of the Rio Dell Police Department until June 5, when he was summoned to department headquarters and taken into custody. He's remained on paid administrative leave since.

If domestic violence

is a problem in California, it's an epidemic in Humboldt County, which boasts rates about 50 percent higher than the state average. According to the California Department of Justice, Humboldt County averages about 6 calls to local police reporting domestic violence annually per 1,000 county residents, while the state

average is 4 such calls for every 1,000 residents.

And that's just what gets reported. Nationally, 75 percent of intimate partner assaults are never mentioned to police, according to a study by the National Institute of Justice. "I think it's actually a lot higher than that — there's a lot of fear associated with reporting," said Brenda Bishop, executive director of Humboldt Domestic Violence Services, which took more than 2,600 crisis hotline calls from July 2014 through June 2015, including more than 1,100 from first-time callers. Additionally, over the same time period, the organization provided people with more than 1,700 nights of emergency shelter.

Bishop said Humboldt's domestic violence rates are alarmingly high, and posited a number of reasons: its rural nature; high rates of drug and alcohol abuse; and a shortage of mental health, addiction and domestic violence services. "It hits across all genders, all economic segments of our community," Bishop said. "The thing about domestic violence is it's about power and control — it's a cycle of violence."

It's also a cycle, Bishop said, that's dangerous for all involved: abusers, the abused and first responders. And, it's a cycle that grows even more dangerous when the abuser is a police officer, she added.

A trio of national studies from the 1990s found that 24 to more than 40 percent of police officer families experience domestic violence, in contrast to 10 percent for the general population, Bishop said, adding that those rates appear to hold locally. Bishop said she couldn't offer any data to help quantify local rates, saying it would "put those survivors, their children and their families at risk because, ultimately, I believe, the officers are known in the community and in their departments for this conduct."

Instances of domestic violence involving officers are inherently more dangerous, Bishop said, because officers have guns, know the locations of emergency shelters and are aware of how to manipulate the system, avoid detection and shift blame to their victims. This all makes victims more fearful of reporting, Bishop said, as many are afraid a 911 call will result in a dispatch call that goes out to all their partner's co-workers and friends. There's also the fact that a felony domestic violence conviction would end an officer's career, which poses a substantial hurdle for victims who just want their loved ones to get help. In the power-control spectrum, Bishop said, it's a dynamic that makes it inherently difficult for victims to break away.

Mills, who took over EPD a little more than a year ago after a decades-long career with the San Diego Police Department, said he's not sure if domestic violence rates are really markedly higher in law enforcement families. But Mills said it's clear domestic violence is vastly underreported everywhere, and that victims in law enforcement families are in a terrifying position.

"I do believe there is a problem, especially when you mix alcohol and alcoholism with people with firearms and what can be a very stressful job where you're living in a world of violence all the time," Mills said.

In addition to the employee assistance program that offers counseling services to all city employees, both Mills and Chapman said they've taken to asking their officers to read *Emotional Survival for Law Enforcement*, a book by Kevin Gilmartin that counsels officers on how to deal with the "internal assaults" they experience personally over the course of their careers that can transform them from idealistic public servants into angry, cynical people, taking a huge toll on their families.

Hill declined to comment on what — if any — counseling and support services are available to officers in Rio Dell and their families.

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While Bishop seemed somewhat guarded in her comments about instances of police domestic abuse locally — saying repeatedly that HDVS has a great working relationship with local agencies — she made clear that there's simply no middle ground for officers and departments. "A police department that has domestic violence offenders among its ranks will not effectively serve and protect victims in the community," she said.

At his arraignment last month, Harralson pleaded not guilty to all three charges facing him. Reached this week, his attorney, Michael Robinson, made clear Harralson disputes the accuracy of the allegations and "expects to litigate this issue in court." Robinson said he's in the process of gathering evidence in the case and interviewing witnesses — including some the prosecution hasn't talked to — and "working to build the defense case to hopefully exonerate (Harralson) of these charges and return him to work, if possible."

But there's some indication the case against Harralson may expand. The affidavit in support of a search warrant includes statements from a number of people alleging that Harralson has repeatedly punched his 14-year-old son, and an allegation that he pushed his 10-year-old daughter's face into a car window and held it there while calling her a "cocksucker" over and over again. Asked about the allegations regarding Harralson's conduct with his children, Fleming declined to comment, saying the matter remains the focus of an ongoing investigation.

For his part, Robinson said, "Harralson

disputes any allegations of untoward treatment of his children and, if such allegations were provable in the district attorney's mind, I'm sure they would have pursued charges against him."

Meanwhile, it seems fair for Rio Dell residents to wonder what happened, and why an alleged abuser was given a badge and a gun and tasked with keeping them safe. Was it simple nepotism? Did Hill ignore all that smoke circling his brother-in-law's candidacy because of family ties? Or, did he thoroughly investigate the list of allegations facing Harralson and, with as many facts as he could gather, conclude there simply wasn't any fire beneath all that smoke and Harralson was the best

For Help

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candidate for the job? And, perhaps more importantly, did Hill act appropriately when he learned of criminal allegations facing his brother-in-law months before his ultimate arrest? Should he have left him in the field, or should he have pulled his gun and badge, placing him on administrative leave as the process played out?

Whatever the answers to these questions are, Hill will have to live with them. After all, a police chief has few responsibilities greater than hiring officers and entrusting them with the power of the state. ●



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Wisdom of the Weeds

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“Weeds are weeds only from our human egotistical point of view, because they grow where we do not want them. In nature, however, they play an important and interesting role. They resist conditions that cultivated plants cannot resist, such as drought, acid soil, lack of humus, mineral deficiencies, as well as a one-sidedness of minerals, etc. They are witness of man’s failure to master the soil, and they grow abundantly wherever man has ‘missed the train’ — they only indicate our errors and nature’s corrections. Weeds want to tell a story — they are nature’s means of teaching humanity, and their story is interesting. If we would only listen to it we could apprehend a great deal of the inner forces through which nature helps and heals and balances and, sometimes, also has fun with us.”

— Ehrenfried Pfeiffer,
Weeds and What They Tell

I once asked a mentor to name his 10 favorite plants. He laughed and told me it was like asking him to name his favorite finger. He reminded me that our own attachment to the idea that one plant is better than another stalls the creative cycle that builds and maintains fertility of thought and action. The primary emphasis should always be on biodiversity: Use diverse strategies, experiment with diverse plant material, and work with a diversity of people. Do this, and your projects, both in and out of the garden, will undoubtedly thrive.

The best way to improve our garden soil is to diversify the living community within it. How to diversify it depends on what is already there, and what the soil needs to achieve optimum balance and fertility.

There are a number of good ways to help determine these needs, from simple pH kits to expensive laboratory soil analysis. These store-bought solutions are effective in some settings, but unnecessary for most home gardeners.

Before you spend money on soil testing, go out into your garden and look at what’s already growing there. For centuries, organic gardeners have relied on the plants to indicate soil conditions, and common weeds provide excellent clues for how to improve your soil. By learning to recognize weeds (and what they tell) we can learn about our specific soil conditions and take action accordingly. We can also plant relatives of the wild plants that will thrive in the same soil conditions, or replace unwanted weeds with our preferred cultivars.

Here is a quick-reference guide to a few common weeds in Humboldt gardens. Unsurprisingly, most of these plants are also edible and/or medicinal, but for now we will focus on what they tell you about your soil. If you don’t know what these plants look like, take some time to find out. As a rule, I never pull a plant I don’t recognize, and neither should you.

Yellow dock & horsetail. Soil is acidic or increasing in acidity. Plant cover crops, improve drainage, add non-acidic organic matter like straw and lime (but not wood chips.)

Morning glory/bindweed, wild mustard & pennycress. Formation of surface crust or hardpan. Plant deep-rooted cover crops such as ryegrass and daikon. Allow dandelions, burdock and other tap-rooted weeds to remain, as they will help break up the compacted subsoil. Add thick mulch and consider tilling/digging less often.

Lamb’s quarters, buttercup, pigweed, teasel & thistle. Too much tilling and culti-

vation. Gardens that need a break will put out a lot of spiky and aggressive weeds. If it feels like you are constantly battling thistles and losing, consider letting that section of your garden fallow for a year or two. Sheet mulch with cardboard, straw and wood chips, and plant a cover crop of fava beans, vetch or ryegrass. Or, if you have the space, replant the area to perennial herbs, berries and trees, and start up a new veggie patch in a spot that isn’t so overworked.

Sweet peas, clover & vetch. Sandy or alkaline soil, needs nitrogen. These weeds are an excellent cover crop. Leave them alone and let nature do the work for you. When they start to bloom, cut them down and mulch over, then plant your veggies on top.

Wild lettuce, lemon balm, self-heal, cleavers, chickweed & plantain. Soil pH is balanced and/or ever-so-slightly acidic, soil is well-drained and fertile. Congratulations! These are the green-light weeds in your garden! This spot is ready for a fresh crop of vegetables. But be careful not to overwork, over-till, over-fertilize or add too much acidic material. Consider a careful rotation of crops to give your soil a chance to recover and re-adjust to the varied things you grow, and above all, enjoy yourself!

Look for a guide to edible weeds next month. ●

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Tour de Beer

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As gently as if she were easing a sleeping baby into a crib, a waitress settles 12 small glasses of beer, cupped in a wooden tray, onto our table in the beer garden outside Eel River Brewing Co.'s taproom in Fortuna.

The breeze is soft, the day is warm, and the beers move with barely a jostle, glistening as the afternoon sun catches their yellows, golds, reds and browns.

This is a tasting flight, but when it first descends, resplendent, in front of John Etter, he's more fascinated by the stream of brewing wisdom flowing from across the table.

How long will Etter's homebrew kit beer need to ferment? When does the

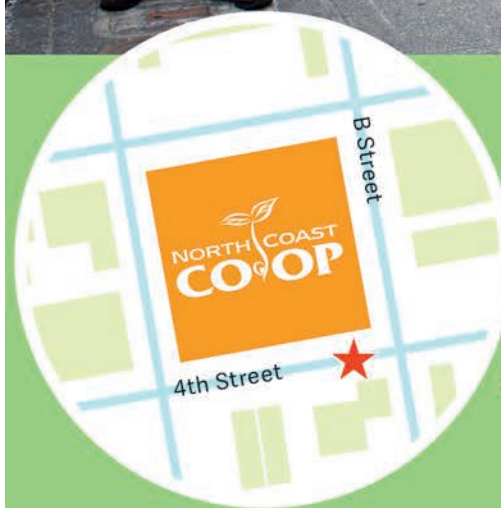
carbonation start? What steps require sterilization?

The man dispensing homebrew advice is Jon Ward, tour guide, owner and chief imagineer of Humboldt Beer Tours, a business he founded in 2013. Ward sits tall at the table, wearing his beer tours shirt and a Beer Works baseball cap as if they were a uniform and he were still a Marine. He is in his element, and his element is beer.

I've been hearing good things about Humboldt Beer Tours from brewers and brew pub operators, who say Ward does a great job of introducing tourists to the local beer scene. He offers six to 10 different tours, depending on the season,

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On this summer day I'm touring along with John and Linda Etter, retirees who moved to Fortuna last year from Simi Valley in Southern California. Their tour is a 70th birthday present for John Etter from their oldest daughter.

We meet in Old Town Eureka and board a big van, one Ward is renting because he'll be taking a bachelor party out this evening. As we head south, he passes around an iPad menu with our Eel River lunch options: fish and chips, a tri-tip sandwich, a black bean burger or a quesadilla. He tells us that Eel River began as an organic brewery, and that most — but not all — of its beers are organic.

Beyond that, he leaves us time to get acquainted, one of the things Linda Etter tells me later she especially appreciates. All afternoon, we bond over beer. We trade photos: the Etters' garden and daughters, my cats, their dog. John Etter talks about his post-retirement days as a Hollywood extra, sword fighting in a pirate movie and two-stepping in a commercial.

At Eel River, all three of us get enormous brewer's flights, but Ward declines. (Drinking on the job wouldn't look professional, he says, and besides, he's driving.) Our tasting trays come with a paper decoder, numbered 1-12, explaining what we're drinking. These beers are well-arranged for tasting, fruity and milder first, hoppy and heavier later. Linda Etter works her way around the tray, sipping, smiling and then giving a small shudder. "These two taste gross."

Ward reassures her, "Do not feel obligated to drink all the beer." He says that a lot, and it's easy to see why. A dozen four-ounce tasting glasses are the equivalent of four bottles of beer, and we're only on our first stop.

The difference between doing this on our own and traveling with Ward is that he answers whatever we throw at him: How to use a homebrew kit, how many barrels Eel River produces, what IBU stands for — a beer with the highest IBU (international bitterness unit) might not taste the bitterest, because higher alcohol beers tend to have more malt, which lessens the perceived bitterness. He talks about the farm traditions that gave birth to the increasingly popular saison style beers. As we head north again, he compares the different market strategies of Eel River and our next destination, the Lost Coast Brewery in Eureka.

At Lost Coast, as we're looking at 10

more four-ounce glasses, Ward recommends a tasting sequence that diverges from the brewery's numbering system. On his advice, we skip around, sampling first the fruitier numbers 1, 5 and 10. We are all slowing down.

Our final stop is scheduled at The Local beer bar, nearby on F Street, where the tour entitles us to \$1 off the first glass.

John Etter says it first. "I'm beered out." We all decide to end the tour here.

It has been, the Etters tell me at the end of the day, a great way for a newcomer to start learning about Humboldt's beers.

My take? That depends on the newcomer. Some might prefer to visit one brewery at a time, lingering a few hours at each. For a busy tourist, though, hitting three stops in one afternoon could be perfect.

After all, a visitor has to leave some time for the redwoods and the sea.

A date with beer:

Thursday, July 16-ish, **Six Rivers Brewery**, 1300 Central Ave., McKinleyville. A new Berliner Weisse, a cloudy, slightly sour wheat beer, will go on tap. Brewmaster Carlos Sanchez has experimented with adding yogurt for part of the sour tang in this one, and since he only made half a barrel, it won't last long. He expects it will be available for about a week.

Tuesday, July 21, 4 p.m. to 8 p.m., **Dead Reckoning Tavern**, 815 J St., Arcata. Infusion night every Tuesday. See how flavors meld and change when fresh ingredients are infused into a craft beer just before serving.

Thursday, Aug. 6, 7 p.m. to 9 p.m., **Humboldt Beer Works**, 110 Third St., Eureka. Talk beer making, bring your home-crafted beer to share or taste what others have concocted during the monthly meeting of the Humboldt Homebrewers Club. Free to attend; annual membership \$20.

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Carrie Peyton Dahlberg didn't come close to drinking all 88 ounces of beer offered on this tour. You can email her anyway at beerstainednotebook@gmail.com.

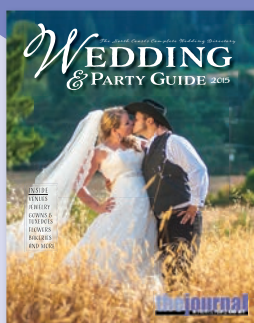
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THE ALIBI 822-3731 744 Ninth St., Arcata			Swamp Wolf, Black Plate (black metal, punk) 11pm \$5		
ARCATA THEATRE LOUNGE 1036 G St., 822-1220		<i>Indiana Jones and the Temple of Doom</i> (film) 8pm \$5			[W] Sci-Fi Night ft. <i>Embryo</i> 7:30pm Free w/\$5 food/bev, All Ages
ARCATA VETERANS HALL 1425 J St., 822-1552		HFF Barn Dance w/Striped Pig Stringband & caller Lyndsey Battle 7:30pm \$7, \$6			
BLONDIES 822-3453 420 E. California Ave., Arcata	Open Mic 7pm Free			Jazz Night 7pm Free	[M] Quiz Night 7pm Free [T] Human Expression Night 7pm Free [W] Local Music Showcase w/ Beth IsBell 7pm Free
BLUE LAKE CASINO WAVE LOUNGE 668-9770 777 Casino Way	Karaoke w/KJ Leonard 8pm Free	Hardly Deadly (Grateful Dead tribute) 9pm Free	Sapphire Palace: Humboldt Showdown (Pro Am Fight) 8pm \$55-\$75, Wave: Brad Wilson (rock, blues) 9pm Free	Karaoke w/KJ Leonard 8pm Free	
CENTRAL STATION 839-2015 1631 Central Ave., McKinleyville	Open Mic w/Jimi Jeff 8pm Free	Karaoke w/Rock Star 9pm Free			
CHER-AE HEIGHTS CASINO FIREWATER LOUNGE 677-3611 27 Scenic Drive, Trinidad		Dr. Squid (rock, dance) 9pm Free	Dr. Squid (rock, dance) 9pm Free	Karaoke w/Chris Clay 8pm Free	[T] Karaoke w/Chris Clay 8pm Free
DELL'ARTE 668-5663 131 H St., Blue Lake	Under the Stars w/Kenny Ray & the Mighty Rovers, Compost Mountain Boys, Huckleberry Flint 5:30pm \$10, \$8		Humboldt Folklife Festival Free Fest 10am-9pm		
FIELDBROOK FAMILY MARKET 4636 Fieldbrook Road, 839-0521		Friday Night Music 7pm Free	Acoustic Night Saturdays 6pm Free		
HUMBOLDT BREWS 826-2739 856 10th St., Arcata	The Quick and Easy Boys (rock) 9:30pm \$10	Uncle Lucius (Southern rock) 9:30pm \$10	Soul Night #45 (DJs) 9pm \$5		[M] Built to Spill (indie) 8pm \$25 [W] New Riders of the Purple Sage (American country rock) 7pm \$25
HUMBOLDT MACHINE WORKS 937 10th St., Arcata, 826-WINE	Roots & Culture Reggae 9pm Free				[W] Salsa! (lessons + dance) 9pm \$5
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LIBATION 825-7596 761 Eighth St., Arcata	Claire Bent (jazz) 7pm Free		Jim Silva (guitar) 7pm Free		[T] Buddy Reed (blues) 7pm Free
LIGHTHOUSE GRILL 677-0077 355 Main St., Trinidad				Tony Roach (aka Otto Knowbetter) 5pm-7pm Free	
LOGGER BAR 668-5000 510 Railroad Ave., Blue Lake	La Patinas (rockin' Americana) 9:30pm Free	The Rubbernecks w/The Brendas 9pm Free	The Rubbernecks w/The Jade Stems, The Tainted Zucchini 9pm Free	Potluck (food) 6pm Free	
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NORTHTOWN COFFEE 633-6187 1603 G St., Arcata	Trivia Night 7pm Free	Open Mic 7pm Free			
OCEAN GROVE 677-3543 480 Patrick's Pt. Dr., Trinidad					[M] Dancehall Mondayz w/Rudelson 8pm \$5
REDWOOD CURTAIN BREW 550 So G St. #6, Arcata 826-7222	U.S.G.G.O. (funk, jazz) 8pm Free		Blaze&Blue 8pm Free		[M] Trivia Night 7pm Free
RICHARDS' GOAT TAVERN 630-5000 4011 St., Arcata			Whatever Forever w/DJ Pandemonium Jones 8pm Free	Flea Market and Outdoor Tea Party 1pm-5pm Free Entrance	[T] Taco Tuesday Dance Party w/Gabe Pressure & Zero Juan 8pm Free
SIDELINES 822-0919 732 Ninth St., Arcata	Rudelson Sound (DJ) 10pm TBA	DJ Music 10pm TBA	Sidelines Saturdays w/Rudelson 10pm TBA		
SIX RIVERS BREWERY 839-7580 Central Ave., McKinleyville	Open Jam Thursday Night Bluegrass 9pm Free	Don's Neighbors (classic rock) 9pm Free	The Overstimulators! (blues comedy) 9pm Free	Trivia Night 8pm Free	[M] Karaoke w/DJ Marv 8pm Free [T] Sunny Brae Jazz 7:30pm Free [M] Anemones of the State (jazz) 5pm Free
SUSHI SPOT 839-1222 1552 City Center Road, Mck.					
TOBY & JACKS 822-4198 764 Ninth St., Arcata		Hip-hop DJs 10pm Free	DJ Music 10pm Free		[W] Reggae Wednesdayz w/Rudelson 10pm Free
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BAR-FLY PUB 443-3770 91 Commercial St., Eureka		Bar-Fly Karaoke 9pm Free	DJ Saturdays 10pm Free		[W] Bar-Fly Karaoke 9pm Free
BEAR RIVER CASINO 733-9644 11 Bear Paws Way, Loleta	Karaoke w/Chris Clay 8pm Free	Lightning Boom Productions (DJ music) 9pm Free	The Roadmasters (country) 9pm Free		
BENBOW INN 923-2124 445 Lake Benbow Drive, Benbow	Paco Martin and Friends (Latin music) 6:30pm Free	Paco Martin and Friends (Latin music) 6:30pm Free			[W] Paco Martin and Friends (Latin music) 6:30pm Free
C STREET MARKET SQUARE Foot of C Street, Eureka	Chad Bushnell (hot country) 6pm Free				
CALICO'S CAFE 923-2253 808 Redwood Drive, Garberville			Frisky Brisket (violin, guitar) 7pm Free	Jen Tal and The HuZBand (acoustic) 6:30pm Free	
CECIL'S BISTRO 923-7007 773 Redwood Drive, Garberville		Planet 4 (jazz, funk) 7:30pm Free	Latin Peppers (salsa) 7:30pm Free		
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CURLEY'S FULL CIRCLE 786-9696 460 Main St., Ferndale					[W] Open Mic 7pm Free
EMPIRE LOUNGE 798-6498 415 Fifth St., Eureka					[W] Karaoke at the Cantina 6pm \$2 All Ages [M] Brian Post and Friends (jazz) 9pm Free [T] The Overstimulators! (blues comedy) 9pm Free [W] Comedy Open Mikey 9pm Free, Urban Pioneers and Billy Cook (bluegrass, Americana) 10pm \$5
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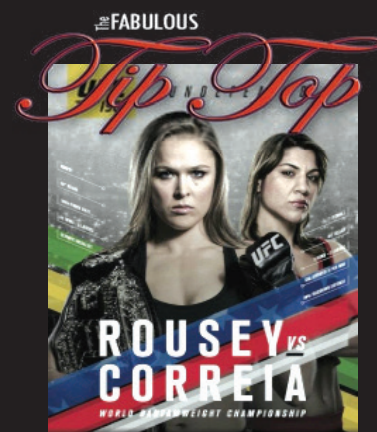
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FERNBRIDGE MARKET RIDGETOP CAFE 786-3900 623 Fernbridge Dr., Fortuna					[M] Open Mic 5:30pm Free
GALLAGHER'S IRISH PUB 139 Second St., Eureka 442-1177	Seabury Gould and Evan Morden (Irish) 6pm Free	Pappa Paul (folk) 6pm Free			
LIL' RED LION 444-1344 1506 Fifth St., Eureka			Karaoke w/DJ Will 9pm Free	Karaoke w/DJ Will 8pm Free	[T] Pool Tournament 7pm \$5
MORRIS GRAVES MUSEUM OF ART 636 F St., Eureka 442-0278	The Phenomenauts, The Small Axe Ensemble (indie) 8pm \$7			Wine and Jazz w/Bill Allison and friends 3pm \$5, \$2 Free to MGMA members, kids	
NORTHERN DELIGHTS 628-1030 7091 State Hwy. 3, Hayfork		Marcia Griffiths (reggae) 10pm \$40, \$35			
OLD TOWN COFFEE & CHOC. 211 F St., Eureka 445-8600					[W] Open Mic w/Mike Anderson 6:30pm Free
PEARL LOUNGE 444-2017 507 Second St., Eureka	Pressure Anya Dirty Thursdays (DJ music) 9pm Free	JSun (DJ music) 10pm Free	Pressure Anya Fuego (DJ music) 10pm Free		
PERSIMMONS GALLERY 923-2748 1055 Redway Drive, Redway	April Moore and Ranch Party (country) 7:30pm Free	Lisa Baney (jazz vocals) 7:30pm Free			
SHAMUS T BONES 407-3550 191 Truesdale St., Eureka		Hot Summer Nights (DJ music) 10pm Free			
THE SPEAKEASY 411 Opera Alley, Eureka 444-2244		Eureka Pizza Council (jazz) 8:30pm Free	Buddy Reed and the Rip It Ups (blues) 10pm Free		[T] The Opera Alley Cats (jazz) 7:30pm Free [W] No Covers and USGGO (jazz) 7pm Free
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Bucolic and Bacchanal

Reunions and
random happiness

By Jennifer Savage
 thesetlist@northcoastjournal.com

The Rubbernecks have never needed an invite, official or otherwise, to bring a night home. So it's completely logical that not only would the raucous formerly-of-Blue-Lake cowpunks time a visit to coincide with the annual **Humboldt Folklife Festival**, but that they'd play shows around the fest's finale — at the Logger Bar, of course.

For those unfamiliar with this legendary blast-from-the-past, please take note of some of their song titles: "Drunk by Four," "I'll Buy" and "Wasted Tonight." These songs were not written based on some conceptual idea of what excessive alcohol intake might be like. The bandmembers' lives and live performances were often equally chaotic.

On Friday night, original 'Neckers **Clay Smith** (now in Florida) and **Greg Lojko** (residing in New York) will play as a duo, reprising Rubbernecks' tunes with a classic, stripped-down, acoustic set. They will also perform as **the Jade Stems**, with **Jay Forbes** on drums and **Ben Clifton** on vocals, in a tribute to their former bandmate **Kyle Scott** who was killed in a car accident this year. **The Tainted Zucchini**, also of the era, opens.

After the all-day free folk fest on Saturday, Clay and Greg return to the Logger, where Strix Vega's **Andy Powell** will join them on bass guitar and man-of-a-thousand-bands **Pete Ciotti** sits in on drums to fill out the band, promis-

ing "the kind of full-on, inebriating and raucous performances that the Rubbernecks are known for." People will be singing and shouting along, shots will be tossed back, hearts will likely be broken, drunken makeout sessions will definitely occur. Afterward, we'll say there's two kinds of people in this world: Those who made it and those who missed it.

Both shows at 9 p.m., no cover, 21-and-over.

Thursday

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— think rockabilly meets Devo at a Ramones' concert — and **the Small Axe Ensemble** play the Morris Graves Museum of Art. Doors at 7:30 p.m., show at 8 p.m., cover is \$7, all ages.

Fast and simple

Portland power trio **the Quick and Easy Boys** lend some rock 'n' roll to Humboldt Brews, starting at 9:30 p.m. Cover is \$10, show is 21-and-over.

Friday

Well, this

From South Austin, **Uncle Lucius** describes itself thus: "A dream, conjured in the minds of five sonic mercenaries, a clarion call to arms for true believers. It is the voice that shakes you from complacency, grabs you with both hands and implores: 'Get in the van!'" Which sounds like something you should run

from, but based on the single track I listened to ("Flood Then Fade Away"), the band's harmless and fairly enjoyable. It seems like the kind of show you'd leave feeling happy. Cover's \$10, 9:30 p.m., 21-and-over.

Westhaven

Former funk goddess and gospel soloist **Paula Jones** jazzes up the Westhaven Center for the Arts along with the **RLA Trio** (**Tim Randles**, **Mike Labolle** and **Bobby Amirkhan**) at 7 p.m. Sliding scale donation of \$5 to \$10, all ages.

Saturday

The aforementioned free folk fest

Humboldt Folklife Society wraps up the week with the annual free fest from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. The party includes two stages of music, several hours of workshops, a jam area in the Carlo Theater and more — see www.humboldtfolklife.org or elsewhere in the *Journal* for the full line up.

So many RPMs

Once again, DJs **Red**, and **Matt'n'Adam** bring you **Soul Night** — No. 45 — at Humboldt Brews. The beats begin at 9 p.m., cover is \$5, 21-and-over.

Elsewhere on the spectrum

If twang and swing aren't your thing, maybe some black metal from Flagstaff? Specifically, **Swamp Wolf** at the Alibi, along with flood plain dirge punk by **Black Plate**. Music at 11 p.m., cover is \$5, 21-and-over.

Sunday

Worth noting: **Built to Spill** at Humboldt Brews, 8 p.m., \$25, 21-and-over. This show will likely sell out. People love this band. ("Two Truths and a Lie" time: When I saw Silversun Pickups at Outside Lands in 2009, they followed Built to Spill and spent the first several minutes in awe of playing the same stage as their heroes; A former Built to Spill bandmember used to rent a room in the same Mission District Victorian as my brother, and when we were visiting and the bandmember was out of town, I slept in his bed; One time I had lunch with Built to Spill and Kirsten Dunst.) **The Genders** — whose track "Suffering Jukebox" is a wistful, delicate listen — open.

Wednesday

Here's a big cool show at the Palm Lounge: road-weary bluegrass with **Urban Pioneers** and nomadic Americana with **Billy Cook**. Show starts at 10 p.m., cover is \$5, 21-and-over.

Etc.

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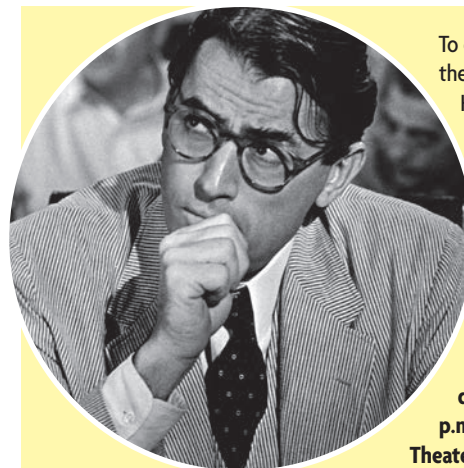


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To correspond with the publication of Harper Lee's second novel, *Go Set a Watchman*, a showing of the award-winning film adaptation of her classic book *To Kill a Mockingbird* takes place **Friday, July 17 at 7:30 p.m.** at the **Eureka Theater** (\$5, free with purchase of *Go Set a Watchman* at Eureka Books).

DreamQuest is sponsoring a **River Safety Day** to help families stay cool and safe this summer. Spend a fun day on the river with your kids while everyone learns how to safely enjoy the water. Permission slips required. **July 18 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.** at **Kimtu Beach** in Willow Creek (free).



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Figure Drawing Group. 7-9 p.m. Cheri Blackerby Gallery, 272 C St., Eureka. Chip in for the live model and hone your artistic skills. Go into the courtyard on C St. to the room on the right. \$5. 442-0309.

LECTURE

Photographing Landscapes. 7-9 p.m. Arcata Marsh and Wildlife Sanctuary Interpretive Center, 569 S. G St. Michael Harris and Andrea Pickart present their work and lead a workshop on inspiration in nature. Free. amic@cityofarcata.org. 826-2359.

MUSIC

Humboldt Ukulele Group. Third Thursday of every month, 5:30 p.m. Arcata Community Center, 321 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Parkway. A casual gathering of strummers. Beginners welcome. \$3. dsanderl@arcatanet.com. 839-2816.

Summer Concert Series. 6 p.m. C Street Market Square, Foot of C Street, Eureka. Open-air music on Eureka's waterfront. Chad Bushnell, hot country. Free. www.eurekamainstreet.org.

Under the Stars. 5:30 p.m. Rooney Amphitheater, 131 H St., Blue Lake. Music under the stars featuring Kenny Ray and the Mighty Rovers, Compost Mountain Boys and Huckleberry Flint.

Women Singing in Harmony. 6-8 p.m. Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, 2806 Dolbeer St., Eureka. A cappella chorus singing four-part harmony. All voice parts welcome. Drop by to listen or sing. Free. 601-8219.

World Beats. Every other Thursday, 6-7:30 p.m. Bob Olofson, 212 14th Street, Eureka. African-influenced drumming. All levels welcome and some instruments available. \$5 to \$10, no one turned away. rwolofson@sbcglobal.net. 444-8764.

THEATER

One Man, Two Guvnors. 8 p.m. Redwood Curtain

Theatre, 220 First St., Eureka. Set in Brighton, England in 1963, the play follows Francis Henshall with two bosses and all kinds of gangster drama. \$15, Fri-Sun, \$10 Thurs.

EVENTS

Mad River Festival. Blue Lake, Off State Route 299 Exit 5. Dell'Arte presents acrobatic shows, community pageants, drama, new company work, circus mayhem, dance performances, the Humboldt Folklife Festival and more.

Fortuna Rodeo. Fortuna Rodeo Grounds, Main Street. Ropin', ridin', wrestlin' and racin' all await you at the rodeo. Plus a Jr. Rodeo, carnival, barbecue, parade and Friday night motorsports! www.fortunarodeo.com. 725-3959.

Humboldt Folklife Music Festival. Blue Lake, Off State Route 299 Exit 5. A week-long jubilee featuring Annie and Mary Day, songwriter night, comedic performances by Dell'Arte, country and bluegrass performances, a barn dance and more.

FOR KIDS

Pre-School Storytime. 10-10:45 a.m. Trinidad Library, 380 Janis Court. Listen to stories and songs every Thursday morning. Different themes every week. Free. kmullen@co.humboldt.ca.us. 677-0227.

FOOD

Food, Fun and Family Cooking Classes. 11 a.m.-1 p.m. The Multi-Generational Center, 2280 Newburg Road, Fortuna. Classes include short lesson followed by attendees preparing and sampling recipes. Free cookbooks and resource binder. Children eight and older welcome with adult. Space limited, please sign up by July 10. Contact Michelle Postman at 441-5567 or mpostman@co.humboldt.ca.us. Free.

Henderson Center Farmers Market. 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Henderson Center, Henderson near F Street, Eureka. Fresh local produce, straight from the farmer. www.humfarm.org. 441-9999.

People's Market. Third Thursday of every month, 12-2 p.m. Food for People, 307 W. 14th St., Eureka. Farmers market-style produce market for income-eligible

people. Free. hmchugh@foodforpeople.org. www.foodforpeople.org. 445-3166 ext. 308.

OUTDOORS

Oyster Shuck'n Cruise. 7 p.m. C Street Market Square, Foot of C Street, Eureka. Enjoy Kumamotos on the half-shell while learning about the history, importance and growth process of oysters. \$25.

SPORTS

Humboldt B-52s Baseball. 7 p.m. Bomber Field, Redwood Acres, Eureka. The semi-professional team swings away vs. Bercovich (July 16-18), San Francisco Seals (July 20), and Healdsburg Prunepackers (July 23). \$5, \$3 kids under 10, free for kids under 4.

ETC

Sip and Knit. 6 p.m. NorthCoast Knittery, 320 Second St., Eureka. Join fellow knitters, crocheters, weavers, spinners and fiber artists to socialize and work on projects. 442-9276.

Standard Magic Tournament. 6-10 p.m. NuGames Eureka, 1662 Myrtle Ave. #A. Put your deck to the test. \$5. nugamesonline@gmail.com. www.nugamesonline.com. 497-6358.

17 friday

BOOKS

Barn Dance. 7:30 p.m. Arcata Veterans Hall, 1325 J St. \$7, \$6. Humboldt Folk Life Festival barn dance with Striped Pig String band and caller Lyndsey Battle. 822-1552.

Seaside Writers Retreat. 5 p.m. Trinidad, Downtown. A weekend of craft and creativity by the sea. \$275. amydaychica@gmail.com. www.seasidewritersretreat.com. 677-9059.

DANCE

World Dance. 8-10 p.m. St. Alban's Episcopal Church, 1675 Chester Ave., Arcata. Humboldt Folk Dancers

sponsor teaching and request dancing. \$3. g-b-deja@sbcglobal.net. www.stalbansarcata.org. 839-3665.

LECTURE

Carbon Credits Lecture. 7:30-9 p.m. Arcata Marsh and Wildlife Sanctuary Interpretive Center, 569 S. G St. Erin Kelly gives a lecture on carbon credits. Free. 826-2359.

Old Town Virtual Tour. 7-8:15 p.m. Dows Prairie Grange Hall, 3995 Dows Prairie Road, McKinleyville. Jerry Rohde takes the audience on a virtual tour of Eureka's Old Town by showing before and after photos of many famous (and infamous) buildings in Eureka. Free. www.dowsprairiegrange.org.

MOVIES

Indiana Jones and the Temple of Doom. 8 p.m. Arcata Theatre Lounge, 1036 G St. Indy teams up with a night club singer and a 12-year old boy for more adventure in this second film in the Indiana Jones series. \$5. www.arcatatheatre.com.

To Kill a Mockingbird. 7:30 p.m. Eureka Theater, 612 F St. See the classic film on the big screen. Sponsored by Eureka Books. Buy a copy of Harper Lee's *Go Set a Watchman* from Eureka Books and receive a free pass. \$5. www.theeurekatheater.org.

MUSIC

Paula Jones with RLA Trio. 7 p.m. Westhaven Center for the Arts, 501 S. Westhaven Drive. Paula Jones, former funk goddess, former gospel soloist, jazzes it up with the RLA Trio (Tim Randles, Mike Labolle, Bobby Amirkhan). \$5-10 sliding scale.

THEATER

Il Matrimonio Segreto. 7 p.m. Redwood Park, top of 14th Street, Arcata. Love, intrigue, secret marriages and a healthy dose of comedy are all part of this traditional European opera. Part of the Ink People's annual Plays in the Park. \$12, \$10 advance.

One Man, Two Guvnors. 8 p.m. Redwood Curtain Theatre, 220 First St., Eureka. See July 16 listing.

The Sound of Music. 8 p.m. Arkley Center for the Performing Arts, 412 G St., Eureka. Rodgers and Ham-

merstein's award-winning musical about a postulant governess who brings a new love of life and music to a German family as World War II looms. \$13, \$11 kids 12 and under. theinkpeople.brownpapertickets.com. 1-800-838-3006.

EVENTS

Mad River Festival. Blue Lake, Off State Route 299 Exit 5. See July 16 listing.

Fortuna Rodeo. Fortuna Rodeo Grounds, Main Street. See July 16 listing.

Humboldt Folklife Music Festival. Blue Lake, Off State Route 299 Exit 5. See July 16 listing.

Northern Nights Music Festival. Cooks Valley Campground, Milkway Loop exit off U.S. Highway 101, Piercy. A three-day line-up of DJs and live music on four stages, featuring Black Star, Gold Panda, Rufus Du Sol, Slow Magic and more. \$215-\$299. www.northernnights.org.

FOR KIDS

Baby Read and Grow. Every other Friday, 11-11:45 a.m. Eureka Main Library, 1313 Third St. Families are invited to share songs, fingerplays and short stories. Free. 269-1910.

FOOD

Garberville Farmers Market. 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Garberville Town Square, Church Street. Local farm-fresh produce, meats, cheeses, baked goods and other specialty foods. EBT, Cal-Fresh and WIC accepted. SoHumFM@Yahoo.com. 786-9460.

OUTDOORS

Humboldt Baykeeper Boat Tour. 9:30-11 a.m. Woodley Island Marina, 601 Startare Drive, Eureka. Climb aboard the Humboldt Bay Harbor, Recreation, and Conservation District's patrol boat for a "Bay Explorations" tour led by docents trained in ecology and history of the bay. In Spanish and English. RSVP. tours@humboldt-baykeeper.org. www.humboldt-baykeeper.org. 825-1020.

SPORTS

BMX Friday Practice and Racing. 4:30-6:30 p.m. Redwood Empire BMX, 3750 Harris Street, Eureka. Bring your bike for BMX fun. Wear long sleeves and pants. \$2 practice, \$5 ribbon race. 407-9222.

Humboldt B-52s Baseball. 7 p.m. Bomber Field, Redwood Acres, Eureka. See July 16 listing.

Humboldt Crabs Baseball. 7 p.m. Arcata Ball Park, Ninth and F streets. The oldest continuously operated summer collegiate baseball program takes the plate. \$9, \$6 students and seniors, \$4 kids under 12. contact@humboldtcrabs.com. humboldtcrabs.com. 826-2333.

Public Skating. 6:30-9:30 p.m. Fortuna Firemen's Pavilion, 9 Park St. Have a blast and get some exercise at the same time. \$5.

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MUSIC

Humboldt Folklife Festival Free Fest. 10 a.m.-9 p.m. Dell'Arte, 131 H St., Blue Lake. Two stages of music, amazing workshops, a kid's activity tent, a jam area in the Carlo Theater, food and fun in the sun. Music by Cadillac Ranch, April Moore & Ranch Party, FireSign, Georgia Handshakers, Kingfoot, Old Dog, Chubritza, Ken Collins, Humboldt Highlanders, For Folks Sake!, Hugh Gallagher, Belles of the Levee, St. Animal, Morgan Corviday, Pure Mongrel, The Yokels, Will Willis & Friends and Howdy Emerson. Free. nancy@humboldtfolklife.org.

THEATER

Il Matrimonio Segreto. 7 p.m. Redwood Park, top of 14th Street, Arcata. See July 17 listing.

One Man, Two Guvnors. 8 p.m. Redwood Curtain Theatre, 220 First St., Eureka. See July 16 listing.

The Sound of Music. 1 & 8 p.m. Arkley Center for the Performing Arts, 412 G St., Eureka. See July 17 listing.

EVENTS

Mad River Festival. Blue Lake, Off State Route 299 Exit 5. See July 16 listing.

Dow's Prairie Grange Breakfast and Flea Market. Third Saturday of every month, 8:30 a.m. Dows Prairie Grange Hall, 3995 Dows Prairie Road, McKinleyville. Enjoy pancakes, eggs and browsing knick knacks. Flea market ends at 3 p.m. \$5, \$3 for kids. dowsgrange@gmail.com. www.dowsprairiegrange.org. 840-0100.

Fortuna Rodeo. Fortuna Rodeo Grounds, Main Street. See July 16 listing.

Heart of the Redwoods Quilt Show. 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Redwood Acres Fairgrounds, 3750 Harris St., Eureka. View over 300 quilts from traditional to modern, wall size to king size, browse vendors, a marketplace and more. Two-day passes: \$8, \$6, Free for kids under 12. www.reqg.com.

Humboldt Folklife Music Festival. Blue Lake, Off State Route 299 Exit 5. See July 16 listing.

Northern Nights Music Festival. Cooks Valley Campground, Milkway Loop exit off U.S. Highway 101, Piercy. See July 17 listing.

FOR KIDS

Drop-In Board Games. Third Saturday of every month, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. McKinleyville Library, 1606 Pickett Road. Get your game on with the library's collection or bring in one of your favorites to share. Free. mckhuml@co.humboldt.ca.us. humboldt.gov.org/304/McKinleyville-Library. 839-4459.

Young Inventor's Club. Third Saturday of every month, 10:30 a.m.-noon. Discovery Museum, 1000 B Street, Eureka. Children ages 8 and up can learn about the sciences and create their own inventions. \$7. info@discovery-museum.org. www.discovery-museum.org. 443-9694.

FOOD

Arcata Plaza Farmers Market. 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Arcata Farmers' Market (off the plaza), Eighth and I streets. Fresh vegetables and fruit from local producers, food vendors, plant starts and flowers every week. Plus, live music. Live music by Pan Dulce.

DQ Youth Produce. 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Dream Quest, 100 Country Club Drive, Willow Creek. Dream Quest offers a selection of local, mostly organic produce and more. dreamquestwillowcreek@hotmail.com. www.dreamquestwillowcreek.org. 530.629.3564.

Whole Grain Bakery Market. 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Lost Coast Café & Bakery, 468 Main St., Ferndale. Taste and browse baked goods and produce. Under the patio umbrella. Rain cancels. 601-0070.

GARDEN

A Walk in the Garden w/Mary Poppins. 2-4 p.m. Humboldt Botanical Garden, 7351 Tompkins Hill Road, College of the Redwoods Campus, North Entrance, Eureka. Meet Mary Poppins and other members of HLOC's upcoming production, enjoy the garden and enter to win free tickets to the show. \$8, \$5, HBG members and children under 5 free. www.hbgf.org.

OUTDOORS

Arcata Marsh Tour. 2 p.m. Arcata Marsh and Wildlife Sanctuary Interpretive Center, 569 S. G St. Meet a trained guide for a 90-minute walk focusing on the ecology of the marsh. Led by Betsy Elkinton. Free. 826-2359.

Audubon Society Arcata Marsh Tour. 8:30-11 a.m. Arcata Marsh and Wildlife Sanctuary, South I Street. Bring your

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There are only a few things that embody the heart, comfort and beauty of a home more than a quilt. Those soft, fabric sandwiches of love stitched together with patience and pride, and employed to wrap babies, cover beds or hang on walls. They are treasured heirlooms passed down through generations, or given to someone in need to provide peace amid chaos. This weekend, the buildings of **Redwood Acres Fairgrounds** come alive with hundreds of quilts, quilted items and the people who love them, as the Redwood Empire Quilters Guild presents its biennial **Heart of the Redwoods Quilt Show**.

Stroll the **marketplace**, browse **vendors** and watch **antique bed turnings**. Check out “**Brilliance**,” the guild’s 2015 opportunity quilt, pieced together from fabric donated from the family of a guild member who recently passed away. With more than **300 quilts on display**, there’s something for each of the estimated 1,300 to 1,500 people who attend. One thing that sets the show apart from others is that it is not juried or judged. Cheryl Pekar, current webmaster and past president of the guild explains, “We want everyone, from beginner to experienced, at the show. We want to encourage everyone of all levels.”

Attending is an opportunity to not only see incredible works of art and gather supplies to make your own, but also to support the guild’s many community efforts. The group sews 600 to 1,000 quilts a year for local organizations, including the Red Cross, Salvation Army and Hospice of Humboldt. It also helps with the care and preservation of quilts at the Clark Memorial Museum.

So, stitch together a couple of days to see it all: **Saturday, July 18 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.** and **Sunday, July 19 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.** (a two-day pass is \$8 for adults \$6 for seniors, children under 12 are free).

— Kali Cozyris

binoculars and have a great morning birding. Meet the trip leader in the parking lot at the end of South I Street (Klopp Lake) in Arcata, rain or shine. Tour leader Rich Ridenhour. Free. www.rras.org/calendar.

River Safety Day. 9:30 a.m.-2 p.m. Dream Quest, 100 Country Club Drive, Willow Creek. For the whole family. Wear river shoes, strap on sandals or tennis shoes. No “flip flops.” Free. dreamquestwillowcreek@hotmail.com. www.dreamquestwillowcreek.org. 530.629.3564.

SPORTS

Boat Races. 5 p.m. Redwood Acres Racetrack, 3750 Harris St., Eureka. \$12, \$10, \$2 for kids 6 to 12, free to kids 5 and under.

Humboldt B-52s Baseball. 7 p.m. Bomber Field, Redwood Acres, Eureka. See July 16 listing.

Humboldt Crabs Baseball. Arcata Ball Park, Ninth and F streets. See July 17 listing.

Humboldt Showdown. 8 p.m. Sapphire Palace, Blue Lake Casino, 777 Casino Way. The Redwood Coast’s only Pro Am Fight. In partnership with Hard Fought Productions, Blue Lake Casino and Hotel presents the Humboldt Showdown. 21 and over. \$55-\$75. www.bluelakecasino.com. (877) 252-2946.

Lost Coast Kennel Club Agility Trials and Barn Hunt. 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Humboldt County Fairgrounds, 1250 Fifth St., Ferndale. Three days of agility competition and two days of barn hunting. Free to observe. lostcoastkc@gmail.com. www.lostcoastkc.org.

Public Skating. 6:30-9:30 p.m. Fortuna Firemen’s Pavilion, 9 Park St. See July 17 listing.

ETC

Media Center Orientation. Third Saturday of every month, 10 a.m. Access Humboldt Community Media Center, Eureka High School, Eureka. Learn about the

recording studio, field equipment, editing stations and cable TV channels available at Access Humboldt. Free. 476-1798.

Women’s Peace Vigil. 12-1 p.m. County Courthouse, 825 Fifth St., Eureka. Dress in warm clothing and bring your own chair. No perfume, please. Free. 269-7044.

Yu-Gi-Oh! Standard League. 1-4 p.m. NuGames Eureka, 1662 Myrtle Ave. #A. Bring your decks and claim your prizes. \$5. nugamesonline@gmail.com. www.nugamesonline.com. 497-6358.

19 sunday

ART

Trinidad Artisan’s Market. 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Trinidad, Downtown. Local artisans present their arts and crafts. Enjoy live music each week at noon and barbecue. Free.

BOOKS

Seaside Writers Retreat. 2 p.m. Trinidad, Downtown. See July 17 listing.

MUSIC

Bayside Grange Music Project. 5-9 p.m. Bayside Grange Hall, 2297 Jacoby Creek Road. From 5-7 p.m. anyone playing any instrument with any ability is invited; 7-9 p.m. people with wind instruments for Bandemonium. Donations. gregg@relevantmusic.org. www.relevantmusic.org/Bayside. 442-0156.

Hebrew Sacred Songs. 3-5 p.m. Temple Beth El, Hodgson and T streets, Eureka. Temple Beth El presents a concert of Hebrew Sacred Songs with Bel-Ami Margoles, soprano, Berel Steinberg, tenor, and the TBE Choir

directed by Rabbi Naomi Steinberg. Refreshments following concert. Donation. bethel@reninet.com. www.templebethelureka.org. 444-2846.

Summer Music in the Garden. 12-2 p.m. Humboldt Botanical Garden, 7351 Tompkins Hill Road, College of the Redwoods Campus, North Entrance, Eureka. Bring a picnic lunch for an afternoon of everything from classical to jazz and popular favorites. Free to members, \$5 non-members. www.hbgf.org. 442-5139.

Wine and Jazz. 3-5 p.m. Morris Graves Museum of Art, 636 F St., Eureka. Enjoy an eclectic mix of jazz performed by Bill Allison and friends. \$5, \$2, Free to MGMA members and children. janine@humboldtarts.org. www.humboldtarts.org. 442-0278.

THEATER

The Sound of Music. 2 p.m. Arkley Center for the Performing Arts, 412 G St., Eureka. See July 17 listing.

EVENTS

Mad River Festival. Blue Lake, Off State Route 299 Exit 5. See July 16 listing.

Fortuna Rodeo. Fortuna Rodeo Grounds, Main Street. See July 16 listing.

Heart of the Redwoods Quilt Show. 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Redwood Acres Fairgrounds, 3750 Harris St., Eureka. See July 18 listing.

Northern Nights Music Festival. Cooks Valley Campground, Milkway Loop exit off U.S. Highway 101, Piercy. See July 17 listing.

FOR KIDS

Pokemon Trade and Play. 3-5 p.m. NuGames Eureka, 1662 Myrtle Ave. #A. Bring your cards to play or learn. Free. nugamesonline@gmail.com. www.nugamesonline.com.

com. 497-6358.

FOOD

Food Not Bombs. 5 p.m. Arcata Plaza, Ninth and G streets. Free, hot food for everyone. Mostly vegan and organic and always delicious. Free. (503) 828-7421.

Pancake Breakfast. 8-11 a.m. Mattole Grange, 36512 Mattole Road, Petrolia. Enjoy pancakes, local fresh eggs, sausage by Ferndale Meat, coffee or milk. \$8, \$3. evenson@igc.org. www.mattolegrange.com. 629-3421.

GARDEN

Summertime Care for Roses. 1 p.m. Redwood Acres Fairgrounds, 3750 Harris St., Eureka. Ask questions about rose care. Bring tools to learn hands on about deadheading, thinning, pruning, cutting, etc. Free. www.redwoodacres.com. 826-0716.

OUTDOORS

Into the Wild: A Nature Walk for Families. 11 a.m. Ma-le’l Dunes Parking Area, Young Lane, Manila. Look for animals, plants and really big hills of sand while you explore the dunes. Free.

Audubon Society Birding Trip. Third Sunday of every month, 9 a.m. Eureka Waterfront, Foot of Del Norte Street. Meet leader Ralph Bucher to scope birds from the public dock, then drive to the Hikshari Trail to bird along the trail through the Elk River Wildlife Sanctuary. Free. thebook@reninet.com. 499-1247.

SPORTS

Barrels By The Bay. 7 p.m. Fortuna Rodeo Grounds, Main Street. Saddle up to watch some barrel racing.

Lost Coast Kennel Club Agility Trials and Barn Hunt. 8 a.m.-3 p.m. Humboldt County Fairgrounds, 1250 Fifth St., Ferndale. See July 18 listing.



Play on Players

If opera al fresco on a temperate north coast night sounds like a slice of heaven to you, plan to be at **Redwood Park** this weekend for the next production of SkyClad Theater’s **Plays in the Park**, where all of nature’s the stage and the walls are merely transcendental.

The 2015 season started July 11 with the **24-Hour 10-Minute Play Festival**, and continues this weekend with **Il Matrimonio Segreto**, an evening of opera featuring selections from *La Boheme*, *the Marriage of Figaro* and *La Taviata*. Catch the music at **7 p.m. on Friday, July 17 and Saturday, July 18** (\$12, \$10 students, seniors). The show continues through **July 25**.

Next up is a family show titled **the Unprincess**, with lots of physical humor and colorful characters to keep the kiddos giggling. Perfectly timed matinees run **Aug. 9 through Sept. 6 at 2 p.m.** (Free). The final show of the season is Shakespeare’s **Twelfth Night** — a tale of mistaken identity, love and mischief — one of the bard’s most popular comedies. Performances run **Aug. 7 through Sept. 5 at 7 p.m.** (\$12, \$10 for students and seniors).

Going back to the Greeks, theatre has its roots in open-air amphi theatres. Do yourself a favor and see it the way Dionysus intended.

— Kali Cozyris

ETC

Family Game Day. 12-6 p.m. NuGames Eureka, 1662 Myrtle Ave. #A. Bring the family and friends for a day jam-packed with gaming fun. Feel free to bring in your own games. \$3. www.nugamesonline.com. 497-6358.

Redwood Coast Scrabble Club. 1-5 p.m. Arcata Community Center, 321 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Parkway. Tiles, letters and triple-word scores, oh my! 677-9242.

20 monday

DANCE

Friendship Circle Dance. 7-10 p.m. Moose Lodge, 4328 Campton Road, Eureka. Dancing for people in their 50s and older with live music from the 1930s through 1950s. Refreshments served. \$4. 725-5323.

MEETINGS

Volunteer Orientation. 2:30 p.m. Food for People, 307 W. 14th St., Eureka. Learn to pack and sort food, work with clients, collect donations and cook. panderson@foodforpeople.org.

SPORTS

Humboldt B-52s Baseball. 7 p.m. Bomber Field, Redwood Acres, Eureka. See July 16 listing.

Lost Coast Kennel Club Agility Trials and Barn Hunt. 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Humboldt County Fairgrounds, 1250 Fifth St., Ferndale. See July 18 listing.

ETC

Monday Night Magic Draft. 6-10 p.m. NuGames Eureka, 1662 Myrtle Ave. #A. New and seasoned players welcome. \$15. nugamesonline@gmail.com. www.nugamesonline.com. 497-6358.

21 tuesday

MOVIES

The Naked City. 6:30-8:30 p.m. Humboldt County Library, 1313 3rd St., Eureka. This semi-documentary portrait of New York and its people stars Barry Fitzgerald, Don Taylor, Dorothy Hart and Howard Duff. Hosted by Bob Doran. Free. www.humlib.org. 269-1962.

MUSIC

Ukulele Play and Sing Group. Third Tuesday of every month. Humboldt Senior Resource Center, 1910 California St., Eureka. If you can carry a tune and play a few chords, come party. No formal lessons, but a chord chart and friendly help. Other instruments on approval. Donations of \$1-\$2 appreciated. veganlady21@yahoo.com.

SPOKEN WORD

Human Expression Night. 7 p.m. Blondies Food And Drink, 420 E. California Ave., Arcata. Courtne Burns hosts this night of poetry and creativity. Free. www.blondiesfoodanddrink.com.

FOR KIDS

Pokemon Trade and Play. 3-6 p.m. NuGames Eureka, 1662 Myrtle Ave. #A. See July 19 listing.

FOOD

Eureka Farmers Market. 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Old Town Gazebo, Second and F streets, Eureka. Fresh, local produce direct from the farmer. Free. 441-9999.

Food, Fun and Family Cooking Classes. 11 a.m.-1 p.m. The Multi-Generational Center, 2280 Newburg Road, Fortuna. See July 16 listing.

Fortuna Farmers Market. 3-6 p.m. Fortuna Main Street,

Main Street. Locally grown fruits, veggies and garden plants, plus arts and crafts. Free.

Miranda Farmers Market. 2-6 p.m. Miranda Gardens Resort, 6766 Avenue of the Giants. Pick up produce, baked goods and more right across from the Miranda Gardens Resort. Free. www.facebook.com/Southernhumboldtfarmersmarket.

Shelter Cove Farmers Market. 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Downtown Shelter Cove, Machi Road. Fresh fruits, vegetables, ornamental trees and plants, all with an ocean view. Free. www.facebook.com/Southernhumboldtfarmersmarket.

SPORTS

Humboldt Crabs Baseball. 7 p.m. Arcata Ball Park, Ninth and F streets. See July 17 listing.

COMEDY

Savage Henry Comedy Night. 8 p.m. The Jambalaya, 915 H St. Arcata. Local and out of town comedians bring the ha-has. \$5.

ETC

Bingo. 6 p.m. Moose Lodge, 4328 Campton Road, Eureka. Speed bingo, early and regular games. Doors open at 5 p.m. Games range from \$1-\$10.

Board Game Night. 5-9 p.m. NuGames Eureka, 1662 Myrtle Ave. #A. Choose from a large variety of games or bring your own. All ages. Free. www.nugamesonline.com. 497-6358.

Ferndale Cribbage. 10 a.m. Our Savior's Lutheran Church, 425 Shaw Street, Ferndale. Cards and pegs.

Humboldt Cribbage Club. 6:15 p.m. Moose Lodge, 4328 Campton Road, Eureka. Play cards. 444-3161.

July Volunteer Orientation. 6:30-7:30 p.m. SCRAP

Humboldt, 101 H St. Suite D, Arcata. Help support creative reuse in the community by volunteering at SCRAP Humboldt. Free. volunteer@scraphumboldt.org. scraphumboldt.org/volunteer. 822-2452.

22 wednesday

BOOKS

Book Signing. Humboldt County Historical Society, 703 Eighth St., Eureka. Local author Jim Garrison signs copies of his newly published book *Images of America: Scotia and Rio Dell*.

MOVIES

Sci Fi Night ft. Embryo. 7:30 p.m. Arcata Theatre Lounge, 1036 G St. A doctor bypasses nature with growth hormones, producing a 22-year-old who becomes his lover — and a ruthless killer. Free w/\$5 food or beverage purchase. www.arcatatheatre.com.

FOR KIDS

Read to the Rhythm. 1:30-5 p.m. Rio Dell Library, 715 Wildwood Ave. Drop-in for summer reading club and make drums, shakers, rattlers and more. Free.

Storytime. 1 p.m. McKinleyville Library, 1606 Pickett Road. Liz Cappiello reads stories to children and their parents. Free.

FOOD

Food for People's Cooking Class. 12-1 p.m. Co-op Community Kitchen, 25 Fourth St., Eureka. Expand your cook-

ing skills in a fun, informative setting. Taste and go home with free produce, recipes and more. Free. cculps@foodforpeople.org. www.foodforpeople.org. 445-3166.

SPORTS

BMX Wednesday Practice and Racing. 4:30-6:30 p.m. Redwood Empire BMX, 3750 Harris Street, Eureka. See July 17 listing.

Humboldt Crabs Baseball. 7 p.m. Arcata Ball Park, Ninth and F streets. See July 17 listing.

COMEDY

Comedy Open Mikey. 9 p.m. Palm Lounge, Eureka Inn, 518 Seventh St.. Hosted by Nando Molina with beats by Gabe Pressure. Free.

ETC

Casual Magic. 4-9 p.m. NuGames Eureka, 1662 Myrtle Ave. #A. Bring your decks and connect with the local Magic community. Beginners welcome. Door prizes and drawings. \$5. www.nugamesonline@gmail.com. www.nugamesonline.com. 497-6358.

23 thursday

ART

Figure Drawing Group. 7-9 p.m. Cheri Blackerby Gallery, 272 C St., Eureka. See July 16 listing.

MUSIC

Summer Concert Series. 6 p.m. C Street Market Square,

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Foot of C Street, Eureka. See July 16 listing.

Women Singing in Harmony. 6-8 p.m. Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, 2806 Dolbeer St., Eureka. See July 16 listing.

THEATER

Always A Bridesmaid. 8 p.m. North Coast Repertory Theatre, 300 Fifth St., Eureka. Four friends have sworn to keep the promise they made on the night of their senior prom: to be in each other's weddings — no matter what. \$16, \$12 regular shows, see www.ncrt.net for special show pricing.

One Man, Two Guvnors. 8 p.m. Redwood Curtain Theatre, 220 First St., Eureka. See July 16 listing.

FOR KIDS

Pre-School Storytime. 10-10:45 a.m. Trinidad Library, 380 Janis Court. See July 16 listing.

FOOD

Food, Fun and Family Cooking Classes. 11 a.m.-1 p.m. The Multi-Generational Center, 2280 Newburg Road, Fortuna. See July 16 listing.

Henderson Center Farmers Market. 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Henderson Center, Henderson near F Street, Eureka. See July 16 listing.

SPORTS

Humboldt B-52s Baseball. 7 p.m. Bomber Field, Redwood Acres, Eureka. See July 16 listing.

ETC

Sip and Knit. 6 p.m. NorthCoast Knittery, 320 Second St., Eureka. See July 16 listing.

Standard Magic Tournament. 6-10 p.m. NuGames Eureka, 1662 Myrtle Ave. #A. See July 16 listing.

Heads Up...

HLOC presents a free Mary Poppins writing contest. Win four tickets to the show, a back stage tour and the opportunity to meet cast members. Go to www.hloc.org for full information.

Fig Twig Market applications are available online at www.figtwigmarket.com. Applications must be post marked by August 1, 2015 for the Nov. 6-7 event.

Fern Cottage Foundation seeks board members. Please send a letter of intent to Fern Cottage Foundation, P.O. Box 1286, Ferndale, CA 95536. For more information, go to www.ferncottage.org

Wildwood Days seeks vendors, grillmasters, parade entrants and more for the July 29-Aug. 3 event. For more information, go to www.riodellscotiachamber.org or call 506-5081

Ferndale Repertory seeks volunteers that include: house manager, usher, concession sales and ticket collector. Volunteers are eligible to receive complimentary tickets for their work. For more information, visit www.ferndalerep.org, call 786-5483, or send an email to info@ferndalerep.org. Deadline is August 31.

Food for People's children's summer lunch program provides a free sack lunch for children on summer weekdays. For more information, call 445-3166 ext. 309.

Reggae on the River seeks volunteers. Go to www.mateel.org and fill out an online application. For more information, call 923-3368.

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For an application for grand jury service, call 269-1270 or stop by the Jury Services Office at the Humboldt County Courthouse. Applications online at www.co.humboldt.ca.us/grandjury.

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QUICK, SOMEONE GET THIS DIRECTOR SOME STORYTELLING SKILLS OR I'LL SHOOT.

Self/Less loses itself

Minions: just stealing from families

By John J. Bennett

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Reviews

SELF/LESS Ever since *The Cell* (2000), I've been among the crowd waiting and hoping for director Tarsem Singh (sometimes credited as Tarsem, sometimes as Tarsem Singh Dhandwar) to bring us something revelatory, to follow through on the promise of that early work. Granted, my opinion of that movie is by now mostly held together with nostalgia and fond, if troubling, memories, but it still exhibits a distinct, original visual sense and narrative sensibility. It was the beginning of the end of the heady days of the '90s cinema boom and we were all full of hope.

Singh dropped off the box office radar for a while following *The Cell*, apparently having gone back to plying his trade directing commercials and music videos. Within a few years, though, there were rumblings that he was at work on a major new project. Using his own hand-picked crew, he was filming a few scenes at a time all over the world, snatching what precious minutes he could away from his paying gigs to capitalize on their exotic locations. Plot details were sketchy at best, at least in the early going, but it was enough to cultivate an air of mystery and excitement around the project. Eventually the swirl of rumor cohered into *The Fall* (2006), an aesthetically stunning passion project that, while a suitable follow-up to Singh's debut, failed to create much excitement with audiences. It also reinforced a niggling idea suggested by *The Cell*: this guy might be better with images than he is with stories. For an intensely visual movie about the dark power of imagination, *The Fall* followed a pretty safe, convention-

al plotline that held precious few surprises.

Years again went by before Singh resurfaced, appearing unexpectedly at the helm of *Immortals* (2011). This gratuitously violent but exquisitely photographed sword and sandal thing did the business it needed to, apparently, as he was back the following year with *Mirror Mirror*, a take on *Snow White* that, for whatever reason, I haven't seen. I'm sure it's very good looking. And now Singh returns with *Self/less*, which seems to indicate that he's become a Hollywood director for hire and maybe abandoned some of his grander ambitions.

Manhattan real estate mogul Damian Hale (Ben Kingsley) is a hard-charger with an estranged adult daughter, an opulently baroque penthouse apartment and a pretty bad case of cancer. He follows an anonymous tip to an underground biotech firm, headed up by the mysterious, vaguely sinister Albright (Matthew Goode). Albright promises to install Hale's consciousness in a healthy new body and relocate him in New Orleans to start anew; no muss, no fuss and all for the low, low price of \$250 million. The procedure goes to plan, and Hale wakes up in the body of Ryan Reynolds. Nice surprise. (Well, it's Reynolds playing a character they've called Edward Hale, but still). The re-embodied Hale, after a suitable rehabilitation period and under a strict drug regimen, begins to enjoy the pleasures his lithe new frame allows. One day, after he misses a dose and starts seeing things, he starts asking Albright some questions about the body into which he has moved. This leads, of course, to a jour-

ney of uncomfortable discovery and questions about medical ethics. I won't reveal all the turns, but I'm not doing much of a favor: The ending is pretty well telegraphed from the beginning.

There are flashes here of Singh's visionary style, particularly in a farmhouse shootout backlit by a flamethrower, and featuring a frantic stallion. On balance, though, the movie is visually pretty tame. The narrative could hold some surprises if executed properly, I suppose, but none of those moments of potential really land. It is well-acted, to be sure, though we only get Kingsley for the brief first act. The hand-to-hand combat sequences are exciting and impactful, if relatively few. Going in to *Self/less*, I guess I was still carrying a torch for Singh, for some grand return to his initial promise. This experience didn't entirely extinguish that flame, but it most certainly put a damper on it. PG13. 116m.

MINIONS I like fun; cartoons are fun, right? Yes, of course they are; cartoons are perhaps the most liberated, imaginative genre of cinema and television. They are unlimited by the constraints of reality, a testament to the power and joy of visual storytelling. So why is it that so many of them are boring nowadays?

Minions posits that the little yellow guys, as a species, predate humanity. They've been wandering the Earth for millennia, unsuccessfully searching for a despicable villain to be their boss. (There's a bit of a disconnect here, as the Minions seem like pretty sweet guys. I guess the idea is that we shouldn't judge others by their actions, i.e. villains are people too, but it still seems thematically messy).

Eventually, the tribe holes up in an ice cave and reluctantly settles in until, one bright day in 1968, Bob, Stuart and Kevin venture out to find a new boss. Before long, the three ingratiate themselves to the dastardly Scarlet Overkill (Sandra Bullock) and her rail-thin inventor husband, Herb (Jon Hamm). Eventually they find themselves at cross purposes with their employer and are forced to save the world.

The titular characters are cute, with their amorphous forms and denim overalls and pidgin Esperanto, but that's about all they have to offer. The plot is minimal, the characterizations essentially nil and the whole thing feels like a poor excuse to take ticket money from families. PG. 91m.

Previews

ANT MAN. Teency, weensy con-man Paul Rudd plots a heist to save the world. PG13. 117m.

PIXELS. Adam Sandler stars in this interplanetary war pic featuring classic arcade game characters. Spoiler alert: Pacman's kind of a jerk. PG13. 105m.

TRAINWRECK. Judd Apatow directs and Amy Shumer writes and stars in this come-

dic exploration of monogamy, co-starring Bill Hader and LeBron James. R. 125m.

— *Thadeus Greenson*

Continuing

THE GALLOWS. Alums return to the revival of a school play that ended in tragedy. Supernatural drama ensues. R. 81m.

I'LL SEE YOU IN MY DREAMS. Blythe Danner as a retired singer looking for her second act at karaoke and flirting with Sam Elliot. PG13. 92m.

INSIDE OUT. Pixar renders our inner lives and the tumult of growing up with poignancy and humor through the personified emotions of a girl named Riley. With Amy Poehler. PG. 94m.

JURASSIC WORLD. Fun, well-executed dinosaur action thrills without convoluted plot. Like star Chris Pratt, it doesn't take itself too seriously. PG13. 124m.

LOVE & MERCY. John Cusack, Paul Dano and Elizabeth Banks shine in this Brian Wilson biopic about his struggle for creativity and sanity. PG13. 121m.

MAGIC MIKE XXL. A lighter, road-comedy version of the original stripper-with-a-heart-of-gold story, starring not quite enough of Channing Tatum's abs. R. 115m.

MAX. A Marine's military dog returns from Afghanistan and bonds with the dead soldier's family. Commence bawling now. PG. 111m.

ME & EARL & THE DYING GIRL. Thomas Mann, RJ Cyler and Olivia Cooke star in a quirky, clever teen drama about the vagaries of growing up. PG13. 105m.

SPY. A clever, big-budget take on the spy comedy buoyed by the charisma and timing of Melissa McCarthy as a CIA pencil pusher out in the field. R. 120m.

TED 2. Despite laughs, the tired premise of the talking bro-bear and awkward pacing make for a furry mess. R. 115m.

TERMINATOR GENISYS. So we're doing this again, with the robot assassins and the time travel and trying to stave off the apocalypse. Now with Arnold-on-Arnold violence. PG13. 125m.

— *Jennifer Fumiko Cahill and Thadeus Greenson*

MOVIES & EVENTS

July 17 - July 22



Friday, July 17 -
Indiana Jones and the Temple of Doom (1984),
Doors @ 7:30 PM, Movie
@ 8 PM, Film is \$5,
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Movie Times

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Ant-Man	Fri-Thu: (11:55a.m., 12:45, 3:35), 5:30, 6:25, 9:15
Ant-Man 3D	Fri-Thu: (2:40), 8:25
The Gallows	Fri-Wed: 5:15, 7:30, 9:40; Thu: 5:15, 9:40
Inside Out	Fri-Thu: (12:35, 3:20), 5:50, 8:20
Jurassic World	Fri-Thu: (11:50a.m.), 5:55, 8:55
Jurassic World 3D	Fri-Thu: (2:55)
Magic Mike XXL	Fri-Wed: (12:30, 3:25), 6:15, 9; Thu: (12:30, 3:25), 6:15
Max	Fri-Thu: (12:05, 2:35)
Minions	Fri-Thu: (11:45a.m., 12:50, 3:15, 4:25), 5:35, 6:50, 8
Minions 3D	Fri-Thu: (2:05), 9:10
Selfless (Self/less)	Fri-Thu: 6:40, 9:25
Spys	Fri-Thu: (1, 3:50)
Ted 2	Fri-Wed: (1:20, 4), 6:45, 9:35; Thu: (1:20, 4), 9:35
Terminator Genisys	Fri-Thu: (12, 2:50), 5:45, 8:40
Trainwreck	Fri-Thu: (12:15, 3:10), 6:10, 9:05

Mill Creek Cinema

1575 Betty Court, McKinleyville, (707) 839-3456

Ant-Man	Fri-Thu: (12:45), 6:05
Ant-Man 3D	Fri-Thu: (3:45), 9
The Gallows	Fri-Thu: (4:45), 9:40
Inside Out	Fri-Thu: (12:20, 2:50), 6:45, 8:15
Jurassic World	Fri-Thu: (3), 8:55
Jurassic World 3D	Fri-Thu: (12), 6
Magic Mike XXL	Fri-Wed: (1:55), 6:55; Thu: (1:55)
Minions	Fri-Thu: (11:50a.m., 1:15, 2:05, 3:35), 5:25, 6:35, 8:45
Minions 3D	Fri-Thu: (4:25), 9:05
Selfless (Self/less)	Fri-Thu: (12:55), 6:40
Terminator Genisys	Fri-Wed: (3:40), 9:20; Thu: (3:40)
Trainwreck	Fri-Thu: (12:35, 3:30), 6:30, 9:30

Minor Theatre

1001 H St., Arcata, (707) 822-3456

Me and Earl and the Dying Girl	Fri: 6:40; Sat-Sun: (1:30), 6:40; Mon-Thur: 6:40
Minions	Fri: (3:30), 5:50, 8:10; Sat-Sun: (1:10, 3:30), 5:50, 8:10; Mon-Thur: (3:30), 5:50, 8:10
Selfless (Self/less)	Fri-Thu: (4), 9:10
Trainwreck	Fri: (3:20), 6:10, 9; Sat-Sun: (12:30, 3:20), 6:10, 9; Mon-Thur: (3:20), 6:10, 9

Fortuna Theatre

1241 Main St., (707) 725-2121

Ant-Man	Fri-Sat: (12:05, 1:05, 3:40, 4:40), 6:45, 7:45, 9:35; Sun-Thur: (12:05, 1:05, 3:40, 4:40), 6:45, 7:45
Inside Out	Fri-Sat: (1:20, 4:10), 6:45, 9:25; Sun-Thur: (1:20, 4:10), 6:45
Jurassic World	Fri-Sat: (12, 3:30), 6:30, 9:30; Sun-Thur: (12, 3:30), 6:30
Minions	Fri-Sat: (12, 2:15, 4:30), 6:45, 9; Sun-Thur: (12, 2:15, 4:30), 6:45
Night at the Museum: Secret of the Tomb	Mon: (10a.m.); Wed: (10a.m.)
Penguins of Madagascar	Mon: (10a.m.); Wed: (10a.m.)
Trainwreck	Fri-Sat: (12:40, 4:05), 6:55, 9:45; Sun-Thur: (12:40, 4:05), 6:55

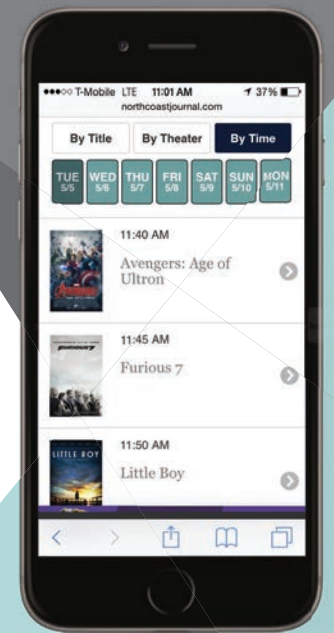
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ARCATA ZEN GROUP MEDITATION. Beginners welcome. **ARCATA:** Sunday 7:55 a.m., Trillium Dance Studio, 855 8th St (next to the Post Office). Dharma talks are offered two Sundays per month at 9:20 a.m. following meditation. For more info. call (707) 826-1701 or visit arcatazengroup.org **EUREKA:** Wed's, 5:55 p.m., First Methodist Church, 520 Del Norte St., enter single story building between F & G on Sonoma St, room 12. For more info. call (707) 845-8399 or visit barryevans9@yahoo.com. (S-0730)

KIRTAN DEVOTIONAL SINGING WITH MINDY ANDERSON AT OM SHALA! Friday, July 10th from 7:30-9:00pm. Kirtan is the name for Hindu devotional chanting of ancient Sanskrit prayers. \$5-10 sliding scale. Sign up by visiting www.OmShalaYoga.com/workshops or by calling or visiting the studio. 707-825-YOGA(9642) or 858 10th St., Arcata. (S-0716)

LIFETREE DISCUSSES IF PRAYER REALLY WORKS

The impact of prayer on people's everyday lives will be explored at Lifetree Café on Sunday, July 21 at 7 p.m. The program, titled "How Does Prayer Work? Exploring the Mystery of Connecting With God," features filmed interviews with Nathan Matz and Tosha Williams, two people who pray daily, but in very different ways. Lifetree Café is a Free Conversation Café - Snacks and Beverages. Located on the Corner of Union and 13th, Arcata. 707 672 2919 or bobdipert@hotmail.com or www.lifetreecafe.com. (S-0716)

SPIRIT TALK WITH REV. DIANE. All are welcome to join Rev. Diane Decker, Minister of Religious Science, for Science of Mind Spiritual Discussion, Meditation and Affirmative Prayer. Gathering every Mon. 7 p.m.-8 p.m., Isis Suite 48, Sunny Brae Center. Donations welcome. (707) 502-9217 (S-0702)

UNITY OF THE REDWOODS. Join us at Unity Church of the Redwoods, where love is felt, truth is taught, lives are transformed, and miracles happen. Services begin each Sun. at 11 a.m. 1619 California St., Eureka. Please stay for snacks and conversation after service. (707) 444-8725 (message), www.unityoftheredwoods.org (S-0730)

HUMBOLDT UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST FELLOW-SHIP. We are a diverse congregation welcoming all people. Our mission is to promote personal and spiritual growth as well as a peaceful, sustainable, and socially just world. Come see for yourself on a Sun. morning. 9 a.m. meetings include child care. Children's & teen's Religious Education classes are available during our 11 a.m. meetings. 24 Fellowship Way, off Jacoby Creek Rd., Bayside. (707) 822-3793, www.huuf.org. (S-0702)

TAROT AS AN EVOLUTIONARY PATH. Classes in Eureka, and Arcata. Private mentorships, readings. Carolyn Ayres. 442-4240
www.tarotofbecoming.com (S-0730)

Sports & Recreation

ROWING FOR ADULTS M, T, Th 5:30-7:15 pm. New rowers welcome July 6 or 20, Aug 3 or 17
Humboldt Bay Rowing Association (707) 845-4752
hbracoach@me.com www.hbra.org

Summer Fun/Arts

NEW SUMMER DAY CAMP. Humboldt Botanical Garden. Nature/Art/Math/Science Outdoor Camp. Children age 7-10. www.hbgf.org 442-5139

Summer Fun/Sports & Adventures

JUNIOR CREW (AGES 11-18) Mon, Tues, Thurs 4-6 pm \$50/month.
New rowers welcome any Monday
Humboldt Bay Rowing Association
707 845-4752. www.hbra.org

Therapy & Support

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS. We can help 24/7, call toll free 1-844 442-0711. (T-0702)

FREE DEPRESSION SUPPORT GROUP. Walk-in support group for anyone suffering from depression. Meet Mon's 6:30 p.m -7:45 p.m, at the Church of the Joyful Healer, McKinleyville. Questions? Call (707) 839-5691. (TS-0820)

SEX/ PORN DAMAGING YOUR LIFE & RELATIONSHIPS? Confidential help is available. 825-0920, saahumboldt@yahoo.com or (TS-0730)

SMOKING POT? WANT TO STOP? www.marijuana-anonymous.org (T-0924)

Vocational

COLLEGE OF THE REDWOODS COMMUNITY EDUCATION SECURITY GUARD TRAINING INFORMATIONAL MEETING MONDAY JULY 20 6PM-7PM 525 D Street Eureka Call us to learn more at 707-476-4500 (V-0716)

HELP OTHERS BY BECOMING CERTIFIED IN MASSAGE THERAPY! Holistic Health Education courses have been available at Loving Hands Institute since 1989. Come learn from experienced professionals at a reasonable cost and at your own pace! For more information on our 510 hour program call 725-9627 or visit
www.lovinghandsinstitute.com (V-0716)

LOAN SIGNING. Monday, July 20th 5:30-9:30PM, Fee: \$105 Master's Notary College of the Redwoods Community Education. Must have or be in the process of obtaining a California State Notary Public Commission. Call 476-4500 to register. (V-0716)

NOTARY PUBLIC CLASS & EXAM. Tuesday, July 21st, 2015 8:30am - 6:00pm, Fee: \$105 College of the Redwoods Community Education Become a California State Notary Public. This is a one-day class that meets the requirements to sit for the State notary exam. Call 476-4500 to register. (V-0716)

INTERVIEWING & SOFT SKILLS PRACTICE
Monday, August 17th, 2015, 3:30 pm - 7:00 pm, Fee: \$150 College of the Redwoods Community Education, Soft skills like communication, emotional intelligence, ethics and "grace-under-fire" are now on the radar of bosses looking to hire. How do you display these skills in an interview? That is what this class is all about! Call 476-4500 to register (V-0716)

Wellness & Bodywork

ARCATA SCHOOL OF MASSAGE IS NOW ENROLLING FOR OUR 650-HOUR PROGRAM. Starts Sept. 1, 2015. It is a Morning Program that meets Mon.- Fri., 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. Training is based in mindfulness, compassion, and many therapeutic massage modalities. Visit arcatamassage.com for complete course descriptions and information. (W-0128)

CANDLELIGHT HOT STONE YOGA WITH ARTEMISIA SHINE AT OM SHALA YOGA. De-stress, Detoxify and Awaken from Within while practicing hatha yoga by candlelight. Live Sound Healing Savasana. Friday, July 16, 7:30-9:30pm. \$20. Sign up by visiting www.OmShalaYoga.com/workshops or by calling or visiting the studio. 707-825-YOGA(9642) or 858 10th St., Arcata. (W-0716)

DANDELION HERBAL CENTER CLASSES WITH JANE BOTHWELL. Beginning with Herbs. Sept 16 to Nov 4, 2015, 8 Wed. evenings. Learn medicine making, herbal first aid, and herbs for common imbalances. Festival of Herbs: Visiting Teachers Series. Nov. 2015 - May 2016. Meets the 1st weekend of the month for intermediate to advanced herb students and health care practitioners. Learn from renowned herbalists: Rosemary Gladstar, Christopher Hobbs, Jessica Baker, Amanda McQuade-Crawford and more! Register online www.dandelionherb.com or call (707) 442-8157. (W-0723)

IMPROVE YOUR POSTURE with Pilates instructor Sara Bell. Mindful core strengthening. Tues. July 21, 5:30-9 p.m. at Arcata School of Massage. \$50. Register at arcatamassage.com. (W-0716)

JIN SHIN JYUTSU SELF-HELP CLASSES. Learn what this ancient way of balancing energy with gentle touch is, and how to do it for yourself to enhance your health, comfort and peace of mind. Third Sundays, July thru December, 10.am. to 1p.m. \$30 per class or \$150 for all six classes. Attend one, some, or all. July 19, Aug. 16, Sept. 20, Oct. 18, Nov. 15, Dec.20, at the Arcata Wellness Center, 735 12th St., Arcata. Taught by Denny Dorsett RN, Jin Shin Jyutsu practitioner and self-help instructor. Call 707 825-0824 for information and pre-registration, or drop in, space allowing. (W-1217)

YOGA IN FORTUNA EVERY THURSDAY 9:30 a.m. - 10:45 a.m. Multigenerational Center 2280 Newburg Rd. Breathe, stretch, strengthen the body, calm the mind. All levels. \$11 drop in or 6 class pass \$57. scholarships avail. info Laurie Birdsong 362-5457 (W-0730)

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

ATTENTION RECORDER: THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE TO AN ATTACHED SUMMARY IS APPLICABLE TO THE NOTICE PROVIDED TO THE TRUSTOR ONLY]

NOTE: THERE IS A SUMMARY OF THE INFORMATION IN THIS DOCUMENT ATTACHED

注：本文件包含一个信息摘要
참고사항: 본 첨부 문서에 정보 요약서가 있습니다

NOTA: SE ADJUNTA UN RESUMEN DE LA INFORMACIÓN DE ESTE DOCUMENTO
TALA: MAYROONG BUOD NG IMPORMASYON SA DOKUMENTONG ITO NA NAKALAKIP
LƯU Ý: KÈM THEO ĐẦY LÀ BẢN TRÌNH BÀY TÓM LƯỢC VỀ THÔNG TIN TRONG TÀI LIỆU NÀY

YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED May 3, 2005. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE, IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDINGS AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on August 6, 2015, at the hour of 10:30 a.m., on the steps to the front entrance to the Humboldt County Courthouse, located at 825 5th Street, City of Eureka, CA 95501, County of HUMBOLDT, State of California, PRIME PACIFIC, a corporation, as Trustee will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, check drawn by state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, or savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state, all payable at the time of sale, real property situated in the County of HUMBOLDT, State of California, and the purported address is 1460 Blue Slide Creek Road, Garberville, CA 95542, aka 1460 Blue Slide Creek Road, Ettersburg, CA 95545 (APN: 220-051-022), and is more particularly described in the Deed of Trust referenced below.

Directions may be obtained pursuant to a written request submitted to the beneficiary: c/o Selzer Home Loans, 551 S. Orchard Ave., Ukiah, CA 95482, telephone: (707) 462-4000, or Prime Pacific, a California corporation, 215 W. Standley St., Suite 3, P.O. Box 177, Ukiah, CA 95482, telephone: (707) 468-5300 or by contacting the Trustee, Prime Pacific at (707) 468-5300 or mailing request to Prime Pacific, P.O. Box 177, Ukiah, CA 95482—within 10 days from the first publication of this notice.

If a street address or common designation of property is shown in this notice, no warranty is given as to its completeness or correctness. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the property address and other common designation, if any, shown herein.

The total amount of the unpaid obligation, together with reasonable estimate of the costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of this notice is \$223,026.28. It is possible that at the time of sale the opening bid may be less than the total indebtedness due.

The sale will be made without covenant or warranty of title, possession, or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of the sale conferred in that certain Deed of Trust, all advances thereunder, interest provided therein, and fees, charges and expenses of the trustee. The Deed of Trust was executed by PETER M. GRAY and KIM A. GRAY, husband and wife as joint tenants, recorded May 18, 2005, in Document No. 2005-16203-5, Official Records of HUMBOLDT County, and said property will be sold "as is" and no warranty or representation is made concerning its present condition.

PRIME PACIFIC was substituted as trustee under that certain document recorded July 6, 2009, in Document No. 2009-15045-3, Official Records of HUMBOLDT County. The address and telephone number of the trustee is: PRIME PACIFIC, Post Office Box 177, 215 W. Standley Street, #3, Ukiah, California 95482; Telephone: (707) 468-5300. Notice of Default and election to sell the described real property under the mentioned deed of trust was recorded on March 18, 2015, Document No. 2015-4998-4, Official Records of HUMBOLDT County.

NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same lender may hold more than one mortgage or deed of trust on the property.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: The sale date shown on this notice may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call PRIME PACIFIC at (707) 468-5300. You may also visit our website—primepacificforeclosures.com. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the website. **THE BEST WAY TO VERIFY POSTPONEMENT INFORMATION IS TO ATTEND THE SCHEDULED SALE.**

The mortgagee or beneficiary is not required to give notice under CA Civil Code Section 2923.5

Dated: July 10, 2015

PRIME PACIFIC, a California corporation
—Trustee
By: JANE H. LEONARD, President

No. LAMOUREUX S-15-03F

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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF GEORGE WILLIAM TURNBULL, ALSO KNOWN AS GEORGE W. TURNBULL, ALSO KNOWN AS BILL TURNBULL CASE NO. PRI50164

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, George William Turnbull, also known as George W. Turnbull, also known as Bill Turnbull A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Petitioner, Paul Smith In the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt. THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that PAUL SMITH Be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent. THE PETITION requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by court. THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority. A HEARING on the petition will be held on July 23, 2015 at 2:00 p.m. at the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt, 825 Fifth Street, Eureka, in Dept.: 8. IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney. IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law. YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by

the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk. ATTORNEY FOR PETITIONER: Koshkin Law Firm 1116 Eleventh Street Arcata, CA 95521 (707)822-2800 Filed: June 24, 2015 SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

7/2, 9, 16 (15-153)

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF MICHAEL R. MCKENZIE, aka MICHAEL MCKENZIE CASE NO. PRI50176

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, Michael R. McKenzie, aka Michael McKenzie A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Petitioner, Rachel McKenzie In the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt. THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that RACHEL MCKENZIE Be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent. THE PETITION requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by court. THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority. A HEARING on the petition will be held on July 23, 2015 at 2:00 p.m. at the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt, 825 Fifth Street, Eureka, in Dept.: 8. IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney. IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the

personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law. YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk. ATTORNEY FOR PETITIONER: Leon A. Karjola 723 Fifth Street, Suite C Eureka, CA 95501 (707) 443-0804 Filed: July 6, 2015 SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

7/16, 23, 30 (15-159)

Justin T. Walsh D.O.B 10/29/80 This serves to notify you to retrieve the Restraining Order paper's at the Humboldt County Sheriff's office in Eureka, CA. If you choose too not do so, you are considered served in 30 days of this announcement.

07/16, 23, 30, 8/6

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 15-00324

The following person is doing Business as **PLANET CHAI, PLANET TEAS** Humboldt, 2427 Plunket Red, Bayside, CA 95524 PO Box 5178, Arcata, CA 95518 **Planet Teas, LLC, 2427 Plunket Rd., Bayside, CA 95524** The business is conducted by A Limited Liability Company. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable I declare the all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). /s Dorje Kirsten, Manager This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Humboldt County on May 28, 2015 KELLY E. SANDERS Humboldt County Clerk By: M. Morris

6/25, 7/2, 7/9, 7/16 (15-151)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 15-00370

The following person is doing Business as **HONEYBEEBUZZED** Humboldt, 523 Old Wagon Road, Trinidad, CA 95570 PO Box 665, Trinidad, CA 95570 **Ellen Markham 523 Old Wagon Rd, PO Box 665, Trinidad, CA 95570** The business is conducted by An Individual. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable I declare the all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). /s Ellen Markham, Founder This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Humboldt County on June 19, 2015 KELLY E. SANDERS Humboldt County Clerk By: A. Abrams

6/25, 7/2, 7/9, 7/16 (15-149)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 15-00357

The following person is doing Business as **BOYD'S GENERAL** Humboldt, 2253 Fern St., Apt 2, Eureka, CA 95503 **Ryan A. Boyd 2253 Fern St., Apt 2, Eureka, CA 95503** The business is conducted by An Individual. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable I declare the all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). /s Ryan Boyd, Owner This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Humboldt County on June 16, 2015 KELLY E. SANDERS Humboldt County Clerk By: A. Abrams

7/9, 7/16, 7/23, 7/30 (15-158)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 15-00359

The following person is doing Business as **THE REVEL YELL** Humboldt, 2260 Terrace Ave, Arcata, CA 95521 **Samuel A. Greenspan 2550 McDowell Ct., Arcata, CA 95521** The business is conducted by An Individual. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable I declare the all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). /s Samuel Greenspan, The Revel Yell Founder This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Humboldt County on June 17, 2015 KELLY E. SANDERS Humboldt County Clerk By: A. Abrams

6/25, 7/2, 7/9, 7/16 (15-143)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 15-00362

The following person is doing Business as **NORTH STORY WINES** Humboldt, 1350 9th St., Arcata, CA 95521 **Patricia A Knittel 411 Howard Hts Rd, Eureka, CA 95503** The business is conducted by An Individual. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable I declare the all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). /s Patricia Knittel This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Humboldt County on June 17, 2015 KELLY E. SANDERS Humboldt County Clerk By: A. Abrams

6/25, 7/2, 7/9, 7/16 (15-144)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 15-00367

The following person is doing Business as **ALL WHEEL DRIVE AUTOMOTIVE** Humboldt, 631 B St., Eureka, CA 95501 **Christopher J.M. Honar 804 M St., Eureka, CA 95501** The business is conducted by An Individual. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable I declare the all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). /s Christopher James Michael Honar, Owner This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Humboldt County on June 19, 2015 KELLY E. SANDERS Humboldt County Clerk By: M. Morris

6/25, 7/2, 7/9, 7/16 (15-150)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 15-00356

The following person is doing Business as **GROSS PROPHETS** Humboldt, 548 Sunny Valley Lane, Whitehorn, CA 95589 PO Box 277, Whitehorn, CA 95589 **Robert Gross PO Box 277, 548 Sunny Valley Ln, Whitehorn, CA 95589** The business is conducted by An Individual. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable I declare the all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). /s Robert Gross, Owner This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Humboldt County on June 16, 2015 KELLY E. SANDERS Humboldt County Clerk By: K. Legg

6/25, 7/2, 7/9, 7/16 (15-145)

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**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME
STATEMENT 15-00387**

The following person is doing Business as **THE KID**
Humboldt, 4344 Old Railroad Grade
Road, McKinleyville, CA 95519
David N. Alkema

**4344 Old Railroad Grade Road,
McKinleyville, CA 95519**

The business is conducted by An
Individual.

The date registrant commenced to
transact business under the ficti-
tious business name or name listed
above on Not Applicable

I declare the all information in this
statement is true and correct.

A registrant who declares as true
any material matter pursuant to
Section 17913 of the Business and
Professions Code that the registrant
knows to be false is guilty of a
misdemeanor punishable by a fine
not to exceed one thousand dollars
(\$1,000).

/s/ David Noel Alkema, Owner
This statement was filed with the
County Clerk of Humboldt County
on June 30, 2015
KELLY E. SANDERS
Humboldt County Clerk
By: M. Morris

7/9, 7/16, 7/23, 7/30 (15-156)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME
STATEMENT 15-00396**

The following person is doing Busi-
ness as **REDWOOD BURL**
COMPANY Humboldt, 200 Alder
Grove Rd, Arcata, CA 95521

**Redwood Burl, Inc., 200 Alder
Grove Rd, Arcata, CA 95521**

The business is conducted by A
Corporation.

The date registrant commenced to
transact business under the ficti-
tious business name or name listed
above on Not Applicable

I declare the all information in this
statement is true and correct.

A registrant who declares as true
any material matter pursuant to
Section 17913 of the Business and
Professions Code that the registrant
knows to be false is guilty of a
misdemeanor punishable by a fine
not to exceed one thousand dollars
(\$1,000).

/s/ Landon Buck, President
This statement was filed with the
County Clerk of Humboldt County
on July 1, 2015
KELLY E. SANDERS
Humboldt County Clerk
By: A. Abrams

7/9, 7/16, 7/23, 7/30 (15-154)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME
STATEMENT 15-00389**

The following person is doing Busi-
ness as **CHRISTIAN & ASSOCIATES**
CONSULTING
Humboldt, 370 Arrow Lane, Bayside,
CA 95524

Michael R. Christian

370 Arrow Lane, Bayside, CA 95524

The business is conducted by An
Individual.

The date registrant commenced to
transact business under the ficti-
tious business name or name listed
above on Not Applicable

I declare the all information in this
statement is true and correct.

A registrant who declares as true
any material matter pursuant to
Section 17913 of the Business and
Professions Code that the registrant
knows to be false is guilty of a
misdemeanor punishable by a fine
not to exceed one thousand dollars
(\$1,000).

/s/ Michael Christan, Sole Proprietor
This statement was filed with the
County Clerk of Humboldt County
on June 30, 2015
KELLY E. SANDERS
Humboldt County Clerk
By: A. Abrams

7/9, 7/16, 7/23, 7/30 (15-155)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME
STATEMENT 15-00397**

The following person is doing Busi-
ness as **THE COPPER CROW CAFE**
Humboldt, 1656 Union Street,
Eureka, CA 95501

JESSICA N BOSTICK-LEE
2237 Wycliff Ln, Eureka, CA 95503

The business is conducted by An
Individual.

The date registrant commenced to
transact business under the ficti-
tious business name or name listed
above on Not Applicable

I declare the all information in this
statement is true and correct.

A registrant who declares as true
any material matter pursuant to
Section 17913 of the Business and
Professions Code that the registrant
knows to be false is guilty of a
misdemeanor punishable by a fine
not to exceed one thousand dollars
(\$1,000).

/s/ Jessica Bostick-Lee, Owner
This statement was filed with the
County Clerk of Humboldt County
on July 02, 2015
KELLY E. SANDERS
Humboldt County Clerk
By: M. Morris

7/9, 7/16, 7/23, 7/30 (15-157)

**ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR
CHANGE OF NAME ANTONIA
RAMONA HOLLENBECK CASE
NO. CV150430 SUPERIOR
COURT OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT 825
FIFTH ST. EUREKA, CA. 95501**

PETITION OF: ANTONIA RAMONA
HOLLENBECK
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
Petitioner: Antonia Ramona Hollen-
beck
for a decree changing names as
follows:

Present name
ANTONIA RAMONA HOLLENBECK
to Proposed Name
ANTONIA RAMONA BAYA

THE COURT ORDERS that all
persons interested in this matter
appear before this court at the
hearing indicated below to show
cause, if any, why the petition for
change of name should not be
granted. Any person objecting to
the name changes described above
must file a written objection that
includes the reasons for the objec-
tion at least two court days before
the matter is scheduled to be heard
and must appear at the hearing to
show cause why the petition should
not be granted. If no written objec-
tion is timely filed, the court may
grant the petition without a
hearing.

NOTICE OF HEARING
Date: August 28, 2015
Time: 1:45 p.m., Dept. 8
SUPERIOR COURT
OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT
825 FIFTH STREET
EUREKA, CA 95501
Date: July 9, 2015
Filed: July 9, 2015
/s/ Dale A. Reinholtsen
Judge of the Superior Court

7/16, 7/23, 7/30, 8/6/2015 (15-160)

**ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR
CHANGE OF NAME ELIZABETH
G. WELSH CASE NO. CV150387
SUPERIOR COURT OF
CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF
HUMBOLDT 825 FIFTH ST.
EUREKA, CA. 95501**

PETITION OF:
ELIZABETH G. WELSH
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
Petitioner: Elizabeth G. Welsh
for a decree changing names as
follows:

Present name
JOCELYN RAE PACHECO
to Proposed Name
JOCELYN RAE WELSH
THE COURT ORDERS that all
persons interested in this matter
appear before this court at the
hearing indicated below to show
cause, if any, why the petition for
change of name should not be
granted. Any person objecting to
the name changes described above
must file a written objection that
includes the reasons for the objec-
tion at least two court days before
the matter is scheduled to be heard
and must appear at the hearing to
show cause why the petition should
not be granted. If no written objec-
tion is timely filed, the court may
grant the petition without a
hearing.

NOTICE OF HEARING
Date: August 3, 2015
Time: 1:45 p.m., Dept. 8
SUPERIOR COURT
OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT
825 FIFTH STREET
EUREKA, CA 95501
Date: June 19, 2015
Filed: June 22, 2015
/s/ Dale A. Reinholtsen
Judge of the Superior Court

7/2, 7/9, 7/16, 7/23/2015 (15-152)

**SURROGATE'S COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK
COUNTY OF OSWEGO
File No.: 2014-315
CITATION**

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK BY THE GRACE OF GOD,
FREE AND INDEPENDENT,

TO: Lee Connor, Rex Connor, Tammy Silva and Kendra Silva, if he or
she be living; and if he or she be dead, then to his or her distributee,
legatees, devisees, heirs-at law, next of kin, executors, administrators
and assigns, if any there be, all of whose names, places of residence and
post office addresses are unknown, and cannot after due diligence and
diligent inquiry therefor be ascertained, a Petition having been duly filed
by **JUDITH CHILLSON (a/k/a JUDY CHILLSON)**, who is domiciled at 14272
Wilde Road, Martville, New York 13111;

YOU ARE HEREBY CITED TO SHOW CAUSE before the Surrogate's
Court of Oswego County, at the County Courthouse, 25 East Oneida
Street, Oswego, New York 13126, on Tuesday, August 18, 2015 at 9:30 a.m.,
why a decree should not be made in the Estate of **EDITH E. TOOLE a/k/a
EDITH ELIZABETH TOOLE a/k/a EDITH ELIZABETH O'TOOLE**, approving
the settlement of a medical malpractice and personal injury action and
directing payment of the net settlement proceeds pursuant to the terms
of Decedent's Last Will and Testament.

WITNESS, SPENCER LUDINGTON, Surrogate of the County of Oswego
DATED, ATTESTED and SEALED,
June 15, 2015

ATTORNEY'S NAME:
ADDRESS and TEL. NO.:

Cheryl Blake
Chief Clerk of the Surrogate's Court
Charles L. Falgiatano, Esq.
DeFrancisco & Falgiatano Law Firm
121 East Water Street
Syracuse, NY 13202
(315) 479-9000

NOTE: This Citation is served upon you as required by law. You are not
obligated to appear in person. If you fail to appear it will be assumed
that you do not object to the relief requested. You have a right to have
an attorney at law appear for you.

6/25, 7/2, 7/9, 7/16/15 (15-146)



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Downhill All the Way?

Rome and the USA

By Barry Evans

fieldnotes@northcoastjournal.com

The U.S. is going the way of Rome!" has become practically a catchphrase among so-called "declinists" of all stripes. The parallels are so legionary (so to speak) and the general feeling of malaise so prevalent, you'd think our version of 476 AD — the year the last Roman emperor abdicated — is just around the corner. Another decade, and we're done for.

PARALLELS: The most commonly-cited parallel is our shared penchant for more-or-less continuous war. With barely any pauses over a period of nearly 1,000 years, Rome battled both rival empires (Carthage and Parthia, for example) and "barbarian" tribes (such as the Visigoths). Similarly — kind of — the U.S. has been engaged militarily, with few breaks, since the second world war: 44 years of the Cold War, 22 years in Vietnam, 14 years (and counting) in Afghanistan, not to mention the Gulf War, Iraq and dozens of lesser conflicts. Meanwhile, we're delegating traditional military duties to the likes of Halliburton and Wackenhut, echoing (in the eyes of declinists) Rome's shift from home-grown legions to the employment of outsiders — usually former enemies — to do its dirty work. (Until they overthrew Rome, the Visigoths were Rome's hired mercenaries.)

Another parallel — and in my mind, a more troubling one — is our common sense of exceptionalism: Other countries' rules don't apply to us because we're special, Manifest Destiny's chosen people. The Roman poet Virgil's *novus ordo saeculorum* ("a new order for the ages") etched on the back of our dollar bill was recalled, for instance, by George Bush Sr., when he celebrated the fall of Communism as "the advent of a new world order."

As in Rome, Americans' sense of being especially favored leads to ignorance about the rest of the world. Take our geographical myopia whenever pollsters ask us to identify places in which we're deeply involved, like Iraq, Iran, Syria and Afghanistan; or to outline the differences between, say, Sunnis and Shiites. This isn't limited to just the "man in the street" either; despite the CIA's \$40 billion annual "black budget," it



THE ROMAN EMPIRE AT ITS MAXIMUM EXTENT (UNDER TRAJAN) IS COMPARABLE IN SIZE TO THE LOWER 48 STATES.
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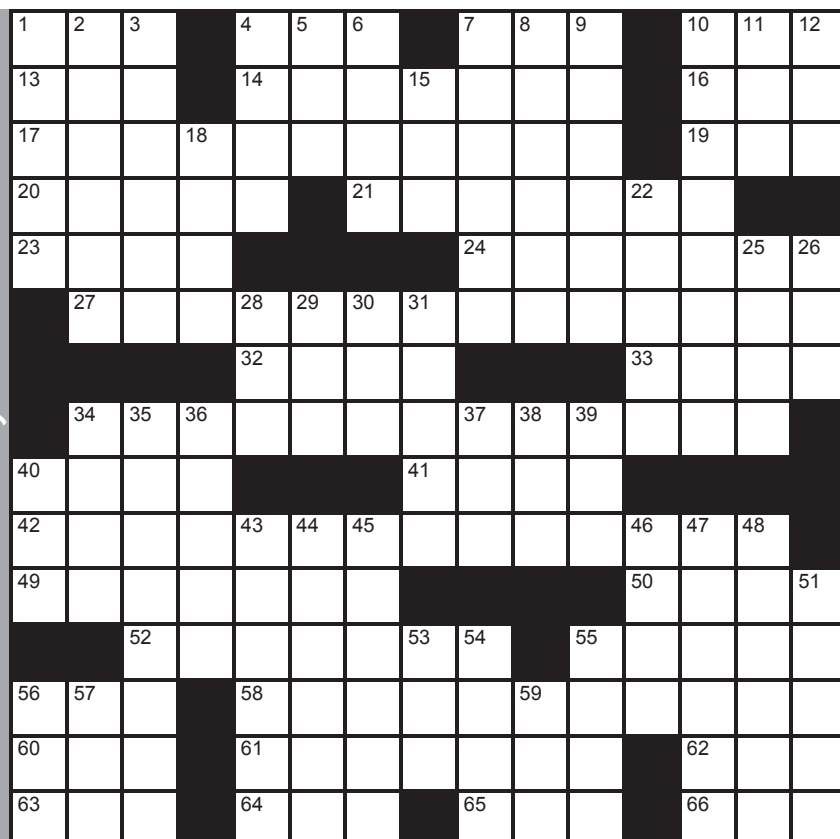
has been widely reported that none of the agency's Middle East division chiefs can (or could, until recently) read or speak Arabic or Farsi. Like us — Vietnam, Somalia and Afghanistan come to mind — the Romans often misunderstood and underestimated their foes, resulting in humiliating defeats, such as Cannae, Teutoburg Forest and Adrianople.

DIFFERENCES: Fortunately, the differences between Rome and the U.S. run deeper than the similarities. For instance, the best Roman democracy was *far* worse than any period in U.S. history. The recent gay marriage decision (yaaaay!!!) comes on the heels of decades of liberalizing gender and race laws, the likes of which would have appalled most Roman citizens (patriarchal slave-holders to the last), whose idea of Sunday afternoon fun was watching gladiators, Christians and wild animals die horribly in their amphitheaters. Cullen Murphy, author of the 2008 bestseller *Are We Rome?*, wrote that "Romans were as bawdy as Americans are repressed."

I suspect that any sense of inevitability that our country will follow Rome's downhill path is greatly exaggerated. For that matter, the danger of drawing lessons from history is that you can make any ideology fit any event: Cite Munich if you want to make the case for going to war; Vietnam for staying out of it. Perhaps English historian A.J.P. Taylor said it best: "The only lesson of history is that there are no lessons of history." ●

Barry Evans (barryevans9@yahoo.com) wonders what the Romans have ever done for us (other than sanitation, medicine, education, wine, public order, irrigation, roads, fresh water and public health).

CROSSWORD by David Levinson Wilk



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ANSWERS NEXT WEEK!

ACROSS

1. Cesar Chavez's org.
4. Crime writer Rankin
7. Great _____
10. Distant
13. Ojani _____ (J. Lo's first husband)
14. Guard dog, at times
16. Freezer stock
17. "Frida" director
19. Cowpoke moniker
20. "_____ you clever!"
21. Triumphant cries
23. Flag holder
24. Singer reportedly buried with a bottle of whiskey, cigarettes, a lighter and ten dimes
27. "The Handmaid's Tale" author
32. Worldwide: Abbr.
33. Actress Mara of "House of Cards"
34. "When can I expect you?" (or a question whose

answer is "central" to solving 17-, 27-, 42- or 58-Across)

40. Fall faller
41. Identical
42. NFL Hall-of-Famer whose uniform number, 56, is retired by the New York Giants
49. Land-grabber, e.g.
50. Yard sale caveat
52. Shackled
55. Grind, as teeth
56. Word with bunny or jump
58. Actor whose Twitter bio reads "Some know me as Mr. Sulu"
60. Green shade
61. Defer payment, perhaps
62. 4x4, e.g.
63. "Atlas Shrugged" author Rand
64. Suffix with lion

65. Bering, for one: Abbr.
66. Votes against

DOWN

1. Fix, as a photocopier
2. When Matt Lauer wakes up before going to work, reportedly
3. Time's 1981 Man of the Year
4. The Beach Boys' "_____ Around"
5. The "her" in Beethoven's question "Who comprehends her?"
6. Rain man?
7. Not quite
8. Midwest city representing average tastes
9. Off the mark
10. Needs no alterations

11. Expert
12. "Oedipus _____"
15. First U.S. state to elect a female gov. (Nellie Tayloe Ross, 1924)
18. Like some verbs: Abbr.
22. "Boyhood" actor Ethan
25. "The Godfather" composer Nino
26. Suffix with lemon or orange
28. "Skedaddle!"
29. Singer DiFranco
30. Many activists' concerns: Abbr.
31. Alex's mom on "Family Ties"
34. Prosperity
35. Language from which "ukulele" comes
36. Popular nasal spray spot
37. Cheerios grain
38. Thurman of "Pulp

- Fiction"
39. Chess piece that is muy importante
40. Cousin of Inc.
43. Mayflower passenger, e.g.
44. Mythical Aegean Sea dweller
45. Sings like 24-Across
46. Turner of Hollywood
47. Dweller on the Yodo River
48. Meet, as a challenge
51. Pen knives?
53. Org. with lots of big shots?
54. Superiors to cpls.
55. Member of the Allies in W.W. II: Abbr.
56. Armotherapy
57. Critical
59. Do lunch

LAST WEEK'S ANSWERS TO DRUMROLL

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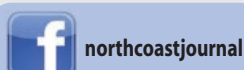
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Opportunities

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Opportunities



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Eureka Office

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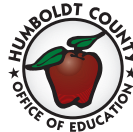
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Opportunities



Humboldt County Office of Education Anticipated Opening: Budget & Accounting Analyst

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(\$22.35 - \$28.52/hr.) Starting salary DOE.

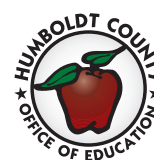
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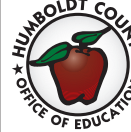
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Opportunities



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HUMBOLDT AREA FOUNDATION

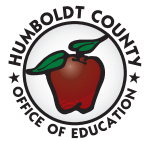
True North Organizing Network, in partnership with Humboldt Area Foundation, is now seeking applicants for an Executive Director. This is a full time exempt salaried position based in Bayside, CA with frequent travel throughout Humboldt, Del Norte, and adjacent tribal lands. Compensation is \$65,000-\$85,000 DOE, and includes competitive health and retirement benefits.

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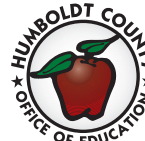
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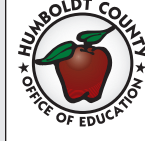
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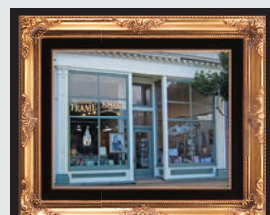
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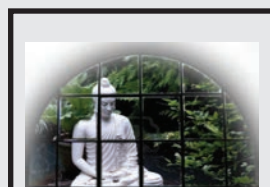
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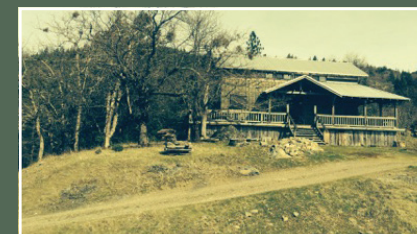


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Short wait and total visit time

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